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Housing Will Be Ready by October First

"Barracks on the campus will be ready to receive students by October 1," stated Virgil Henson, business manager of West Texas State on Tuesday.

Mr. Henson has just returned from a rush trip down state in an effort to secure materials to finish the barracks. As a result of his efforts, 76 apartments will be ready for students. A full crew of carpenters is at work on the barracks, and there is sufficient material on hand to keep them on the job.

West Texas State was given two dormitories at Cactus Plant near Dumas several months ago by the government. No way could be secured to move the barracks across the Canadian River. While on his trip, Mr. Henson secured permission of the Housing Administration to raze the dormitories and haul the the material to the campus for the purpose of finishing up the barracks which had been moved from the Prisoner of War Camp at Hereford. A crew of men started work in Dumas Monday and the first truck load of vital materials arrived Tuesday. It is all good material and just the material needed to finish the barracks. Materials from both of the dormitories will be moved here in a few days.

Mr. Henson has secured five hospital units from the Abilene Army Air base. These units are 29x150 feet. They are being sawed in two and are being moved to the campus. Mr. Henson says they are of the best material and in splendid condition. They will make permanent homes for at least 200 boys and will be good for service for many years. It will probably not be possible to move all of these buildings here by the time college opens, but they will be ready soon, as little work will be required to condition them due to their splendid construction.

To render as much service as possible to students who will begin their work Tuesday, October 1, at West Texas State College all members of the faculty have been summoned to begin work September 17.

Each department will have representatives on duty at all hours during the day to council with and advise students seeking help in planning their courses, according to Dr. J. A. Hill, president.

Those seeking reservations for the school year should communicate at once with the business office or the registrar's office at Canyon.

As yet, West Texas State has not found it necessary to turn away any student applying for admission either from within Texas or from other states. Dr. Hill announces that every effort will be made to receive any student wishing to matriculate; however dormitory accommodations almost have been exhausted with additional reservations coming in daily.

Bonds of Coach and Mrs. Baggett Stolen Saturday

The safe of the Amarillo College was broken into Friday night with a loss of $15,000 in bonds, checks and cash. Mrs. Al Baggett, librarian, and Miss Marion Miller, registrar, left the college late Friday night after checking the proceeds for the day's registration.

The largest loss was $9,000 in E Bonds which belonged to Coach and Mrs. Al Baggett, and which were in the safe. Coach Baggett stated yesterday that the bonds were listed, but the list was in the strong box with the bonds. He is certain that all of the bonds may be traced and will eventually be recovered.

The burglars took $2,754 in checks made out to the college. So far none of the checks have shown up.

Officers working on the job state there are no clues.

Two Men Will Be Inducted Into the Army on Sept. 18

The first call for men to join the armed forces since the two months holiday on induction has been received by the Randall County Selective Service Board. Two men are called for Sept. 18.

Lewell G. Johnston and Emmett Lewis Hales will fill the call. Both were recently discharged from the Merchant Marine due to the fact that this branch of the service is being rapidly reduced.

Mrs. Tommye Prichard, clerk of the board, returned to her desk Monday after a two weeks vacation.

Drivers' License For New Operators Moved to Amarillo

The Drivers' License Division of the Department of Public Safety in Canyon will be closed for an indefinite length of time. People who apply for Drivers' tests and licenses will have to go to that office in the Potter County court house in Amarillo.

Help Keep Canyon Clean!

Berl Mayfield Resigns Clerk For City Canyon

BERL E. MAYFIELD

Mrs. Berl E. Mayfield has resigned as City Clerk to accept a position as bookkeeper at the Neblett Hospital on Sept. 15.

Mrs. Mayfield has been with the city hall force since November, 1935. She was assistant to Harvey Cash until April, 1942, when the health of Mr. Cash made it necessary for him to give up part of his duties. Mrs. Mayfield has been in charge of the city hall since that time.

Mayor W. A. Warren stated Saturday that the City Commission was considering several local men as possible candidates for the position of City Clerk. It is the desire of the Commission to select a man for the position, owing to so much outside work being necessary at this time under the improvement program.

More Caliche In Precinct 4

County Commissioner Calvin Casey states that he will present right-of-way deeds to property owners along Georgia Street and Western Avenue early next week as the State Highway Commission is ready to top these streets as farm-to-market roads just as soon as property owners complete their part of the agreement. The State has approved these projects and start of work is now strictly up to the property owners.

Mr. Casey has started running additional caliche base in the south part of his precinct. Caliche was run on Washington Street several months ago 8 miles south from Amarillo. Work is starting on caliche to run one mile west to the site where the Zita school house used to stand, and one mile south to the Bailey McCormick farm, which is the south boundary of his precinct.

Caliche base will likewise be hauled for the street 2½ miles south of Amarillo, the site of the Mays addition.

Hauling caliche for these roads was postponed this spring due to the rush of farm work.

Former Canyon Girl Is Victim of Polio Attack

Mrs. John J. Simms of Phillips is suffering from polio and is under treatment at the new sanitarium in Plainview. She was the 33rd case to start treatment of this dreaded disease. Mrs. Simms is the daughter of Mr. and Mr. G. B. Heath and will be remembered as Geraldine Heath. Mr. Simms is a chemist for the Phillips Co.

Polio struck Mrs. Simms last week, and after preliminary treatment in Amarillo where it was ascertained that she was afflicted with the disease she was taken to the sanitarium built especially for treatment of this disease.

Charles Donnell Is Back at Olympic

After a vacation trip to Colorado, Charles Donnell resumed his work at the Olympic Theatre Monday.

Mr. Donnell was on the staff of the show before going into the service. He was in charge of picture shows while in the Marine Corps. W. J. Wooten, owner of the Olympic, is glad to have Charles back on the job to assist with the operation of the show.

Mrs. Donnell, who was in the ticket office while Charles was overseas, has resumed her work in the office.

SINGING CONVENTION

The Randall County Singing will meet Sunday, September 15, at the Methodist Church of Happy at 2:30 o'clock. A large crowd and a good time is expected. Everyone is invited to attend.

West Texas to Have Number of New Teachers

When West Texas State College begins its school year Tuesday, October 1, the faculty will be complete with about eighty members, according to Dr. J. A. Hill, president.

With the employment of twenty new members and several changes among those previously on the faculty, Dr. Hill has filled his personnel requirements. Dr. D. A. Shirley, registrar, has become Dean of the College and Dean of the Upper Division to assume a portion of the duties of former Dean R. P. Jarrett who died last summer. Dr. Jarrett's place as head of the Department of Education will be taken by F. E. Savage who is also superintendent of the Demonstration School. This department will have four new members.

Mitchell Jones who has formerly served as an assistant to Harris M. Cook, Dean of Men, has been named to succeed Dr. Cook who has retired.

Milton Morris, formerly principal of the West Texas Demonstration School will give up those duties to take over, with Mrs. Morris, charge of about 260 men students in Terrill and Conner Halls and a barracks for some 100 men students. He will, however, continue as director of physical education in the Demonstration School. Cecil Briggs who has been principal at Happy High School will succeed Mr. Morris as principal of the Demonstration School.

Tom W. Langston who has served many years as secretary to President Hill will return to the college after a brief employment elsewhere as a member of the Department of Education.

Changes in the administration of the dormitories will include the employment as an assistant hostess for girls in Randall Hall, Mrs. Hallie Park.

Dr. Conrad Freed, head of the Speech Department, and Mrs. Freed will take over the administration of Stafford Hall for men.

Martins Are Back From Kansas Stay During the Summer

Dr. and Mrs. Charles W. Martin have returned from Lawrence, Kansas, where they spent the summer with a sister of Mrs. Martin's who is ill.

They are back in their new home on Seventh Avenue, and Dr. Martin has resumed his professional practice.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Blaine L. Hufnagle to Martha Fay Plaster, Sept. 3.

Toney Preston Brown to Iris Jewell Dooley, Sept. 4.

James R. Clements to Juanita McBrayer, Sept. 4.

Money Sought to Put Neon Sign in Order

The large neon sign on the campus of West Texas State has been out of commission for several months, due to breakage.

Virgil Henson stated yesterday that it had been impossible to secure repairs, but he believed that now these repairs were available.

A number of Canyon citizens have expressed the desire to see the light burning again at night, and have contributed to a fund to repair the sign.

Citizens who wish to help put the sign back into operation are asked to leave their checks at the News office.

Light Response From Property Owners to Pave

In spite of the fact that notices have been mailed to all property owners along streets which are proposed to be paved, only a small per cent of the owners have paid their assessments.

Berl E. Mayfield, city clerk, stated yesterday that the discount for cash payments on paving will be accepted up to and including Monday, September 16. After that date no discount can be made for payment of cash.

The city is working on a plan to take paving liens against property which is not a homestead. But no liens can be taken against homesteads, and no paving can be forced on those who own only homesteads. The only thing left for the city is to not pave in front of homesteads, without favorable action on the part of the homestead owners.

The city warns that property owners must get busy if they wish paving.

Barbecue Thursday Evening for Buffalo Football Players

Members of the Rotary Club and the Lyons Club will feed the Buffalo football squad Thursday evening at 7 o'clock at the Canyon Country Club.

A John Snider barbecue will be served honoring the football team, with about 60 men from the team present.

The Rotary Club did not meet on Tuesday and the Lions Club will not hold its regular luncheon Thursday noon.

VISITED PARENTS HERE

Harvey Cash, Jr. of Houston spent the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cash. Mr. Cash has been seriously ill for several months, and no change is noticable in his health.

Harvey, Jr. was recently discharged from the army and has resumed his work with the Texas Company. He served with the rating of Lieutenant Colonel.

Canyon School Will Open on Next Monday

Registration for all Canyon High School students will begin Thursday morning at nine o'clock, and will continue through Friday until noon. It will not be necessary for grades seven and eight, which are housed in the high school building, to register until Monday morning, September 16th.

New pupils entering the first grade this year will be expected to present a birth certificate and the immunization certificates on small pox and diphtheria. Unders, or children whose sixth birthday comes on or after September 1st, will not be registered or enrolled at this time according to an announcement made by Supt. E. A. Wooten, although persons interested in enrolling unders are requested to submit their names by mail to the superintendent's office.

The cafeteria will not serve lunches until Tuesday, September 17th, because of the fact that all students in both elementary and high school will have met short period classes on Monday and will be dismissed before noon, at which time the busses leave the campus. Busses will make their initial run Monday morning to arrive at the campus at approximately 8:40 o'clock.

Training School Opens Tuesday

The Demonstration School of West Texas State College will open on the regular schedule, which is September 17. All students in elementary school and high school should register on the above date. Regular class work will begin on Wednesday, September 18. Facilities for taking care of a large number of students is limited in the Demonstration School of West Texas State College, therefore it will not be possible to take all students who apply for entrance.

It seems advisable for trustees of rural schools to make definite contracts if they expect to send children to the Demonstration School. Rural school districts should make arrangements with the public school of Canyon or the Demonstration School of Canyon to send all of the children in one district to either the public school or the Demonstration School. It is not best for part of the children in the district to go to one school and part to another.

Preference in enrollment will be given to students who attended the Demonstration School last year and to children from rural schools. Many times patrons feel that since they live near the college, their children should be enrolled in the college Demonstration School. It is not always possible to do this on account of our limited facilities for taking care of the children. It is hoped that all people understand this and do not feel that they are discriminated against.

Furniture For Randall Hall Is On Railroad

Virgil Henson received a telephone call Tuesday from the company which is furnishing the annex to Randall Hall.

The furniture has been shipped by the railroads, and there is no question about its arrival on time. Failure of the furniture to arrive before October 1 was causing much concern among college authorities, until shipment was verified. But there is no longer any fear for delay of this furniture.

Registrar D. A. Shirley stated Tuesday that some folks were of the opinion that West Texas State was the only college not opening on time. Abilene Christian College has announced inability to open because of housing shortage; and many of the great universities of the middle west have had to postpone opening, including University of Missouri, University of Indiana, Notre Dame, and a score of smaller colleges.

Maverick Town First Edition Is About Sold Out Is Report

The News has only a few copies of the first edition of Maverick Town, by John McCarty of the Amarillo Globe-News. The first edition is about sold out, and it is unlikely that the second edition will be ready for distribution for several months.

All of the books at the News office have been autographed by Mr. McCarty. This edition will be very valuable in years to come.

J. P. Hix Died Friday Morning Heart Attack

J. P. HIX

J. P. Hix, 56, died Friday morning at three o'clock following a heart attack at two o'clock.

The funeral service was held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Presbyterian Church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Robt. W. Jones. Burial was in Dreamland Cemetery in charge of the Griggs-Warren Funeral Home. Pall bearers were Joe Black, Ross Craig, Jay Prichard, W. T. Oliver, Bob Campbell, and Clarence Thompson.

Mr. Hix was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Hix, pioneers of Randall county. He was born November 18, 1889. The family moved to Canyon when J. P. was only a year old, and this has been the family home since. The father died about 30 years ago and the mother only last year. J. P. lived with his mother following the death of the father. After her death the family residence on Third Avenue was completely remodeled for a home for J. P. and his brother, L. L. Hix.

The parents were charter members of the First Presbyterian Church, and J. P. joined the church when he was 19 years of age.

When AAA came into existence in 1933, Mr. Hix was named a member of the local committee and served until 1938. He was president of the Consumers Fuel Association for 8 years, but resigned four years ago. When OPA came into existence he was a member of this group. Due to bad health and the necessity of looking after private business J. P. resigned from these organizations several months ago.

Surviving are two brothers, Nash C. Hix of Abernathy and Louis L. Hix of Canyon, and one sister, Mrs. L. D. Winn of Canyon.

Legion Hall Is Offered for New Guard Quarters

Temporary quarters for the new National Guard unit will be at the American Legion Hall. Notice has been forwarded to National Guard officers at Austin that Canyon is ready for the establishment of the guard here.

The Commissioners Court and City Commission joined Monday in buying 20 acres of land for the new site of the National Guard Armory which the federal government desires to build here.

Upon instructions from Austin, City Commissioner G. A. Farlow went to Amarillo recently and selected one of the barracks at the Amarillo Army Air Field, which will be moved here for the use of the new Guard unit.

According to word from Austin, equipment for the new Guard will be shipped here within a short time. It is presumed that the state office will send men here soon to select the 20-acre site on the land which is authorized for purchase by the city and county.

Hospital News

Harold Dalton, medical.
Michael Bones, medical.
Mrs. E. B. Brown, tonsillectomy.
C. O. Cooper, medical.
Mrs. Roy Johnson, surgical.
Mrs. J. P. Hammons, medical.
Mrs. Paul Carson, surgical.
Jackie Leon Crow, tonsillectomy.
Robert Watson, surgical.
Bob Watts, tonsillectomy.
Pat Watts, tonsillectomy.
Eloyce Money, tonsillectomy.
Edell Money, tonsillectomy.
LeRoy Murphy, surgical.
Mrs. Mozelle McDaniel, medical.
Mrs. C. E. Hightower, surgical.
Suzanne Stephenson, tonsillectomy.

STORK SPECIAL

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Selander of Salt Lake City, Utah are the proud parents of a boy, Terry Ray, born August 28. Mrs. Selander will be remembered as the former Kathleen Hillier.

A baby girl was born September 6 to Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Westhoff.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Tucek are the parents of a baby girl, born Sept. 8.

Airport Land Approved By County-City

The city of Canyon and the Commissioners Court of Randall county joined Monday in the purchase of an ideal site for a city-county airport which will be built in the near future. The city and county will participate equally in the purchase of the land which will cost approximately $19,000. The site will consist of 242.4 acres. From this acreage, 20 acres will be cut out for the site of the new National Guard Armory which the federal government will build here.

The site of the airport is north and east of the campus of West Texas State. It is within easy walking distance of a cafe, bus station and on a paved street.

Land which will be bought for the new airport consists of the following acreage: G. W. Cox, 138 acres; Bill McSpadden, 86.4 acres; W. A. Warren, 18 acres.

The site has been inspected by CAA officials and was recommended as ideal for a Class 1 airport. Two feeder lines, one running west and one running south from Canyon, have likewise been approved by CAA, but permits have not been issued to either from Washington. However, other proposed lines have been rejected.

Work on securing an adequate airport for Canyon was started a year ago. It was only the past two weeks that plans have developed to such a point that it was safe to proceed with buying the land for the project. It was lucky for the county and city that land was not bought earlier. Under the terms of a new bill passed by Congress, sites which were bought since March of this year will receive federal aid, both on the purchase price and the improvements.

Caliche runways are all that is required on the development of a Class 1 field. This will eliminate a great deal of expense in building the improvements on the field.

CAA and the federal government have set up a three-year plan for building fields over the nation. Since Canyon has procured an approved landing site and is ready for development, it is believed that work will start soon in making the new field ready for use.

Must Renew All Expiring Drivers License at Once

A large part of the drivers licenses for Randall county which have been in effect for several years, will expire during the coming month. Operators of cars are urged to make out their applications for renewals and mail them to Austin before their licenses expire.

No examinations are necessary for renewals. All citizens may secure applications for renewals at the office of Sheriff M. E. Cantrell.

Applications for renewals as these are handled direct from Austin upon application of the drivers. All applications must be accompanied by a draft or postoffice order for 50 cents. Renewals are good for two years.

The highway department has been going after drivers whose licenses have expired, and those who do not have licenses for the operation of power vehicles on the highways.

Dr. Leta Boswell Member of Staff of Neblett Hospital

Dr. Leta Boswell has moved to Canyon from Stratford and is making her home in a new residence on Fourth Avenue.

Accompanying Dr. Boswell were her son, Mac, her mother, Mrs. J. W. Norvell and her grandmother, Mrs. Leta Henderson.

Dr. Boswell is a graduate of Baylor Medical College of Dallas, and served her internship in Baylor Hospital. She practiced medicine in her home town of Stratford with her father, Dr. Norvell, until his death recently.

Cantrell Attended FBI Meeting Held in Dallas Tuesday

Sheriff M. E. Cantrell attended a two-day meeting of peace officers held in Dallas Tuesday and Wednesday.

It was originally planned by FBI to call to Washington all peace officers who had been invited in past years to take FBI training for a two week refresher course. But owing to travel conditions this was postponed and district meetings were held for men who were qualified under the FBI training program.

Sam Hall of Potter, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hall of Goodwell, Okla., brothers of Mrs. M. E. Cleavinger, have been visiting here with their sister and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Thurmon attended the funeral of Mr. Thurmon's sister-in-law, Mrs. W. T. Thurmon in Durant, Okla. last Friday.

County Trustees Met Wednesday in Canyon to Discuss School Problems

The boards of trustees of Common School Districts in Randall County met Wednesday night with the board of Education of the Canyon Independent School District and with County Superintendent A. H. Hunt in a discussion of current educational problems. A very close working agreement was determined for the administration of the transportation problems between the districts, and other matters pertaining to the administration of the children from the sending districts were discussed by the group.

Superintendent E. A. Wooten presented to the visiting trustees a summarization of the per capita educational costs for each year from 1938-46. This data reflected a per capita cost in 1938 of $61.85 on a basis of the operating expenses necessary to the education of a child after he had reached the campus. This means that the cost of the bonded indebtedness and the cost of transportation have not been included in the above figures. This relative per capita cost was increased in 1939 to $65.13; and to $69.79 in 1940; $69.95 in 1941; $71.47 in 1942; $81.06 in 1943; $90.32 in 1944; $104.44 in 1945; and an estimated $118.73 for the year 1946-47.

Attention was called to the fact that the sending districts had been asked to support tuition payments of $45 for elementary children and $67.50 for high school students for the past three years, these tuition rates being set by the State Department of Education; and although the rates for this year have been authorized at $45 and $81, even this last increase authorization does not approach the actual per capita cost, and is, of course, insufficient to pay for the education of any one child.

Supt. Wooten requested the sending districts to anticipate an increased tuition rate for the year 1947-48, which would more nearly approximate the actual per capita educational cost. An increase tuition rate for the current year was not demanded, due to the fact that the summary of the financial situation was not presented to the sending districts in time for tax revision in their respective districts to be handled this year. Many of the trustees from the sending districts very willingly expressed their earnest desire to help the Canyon Independent School District in this matter, and that they were ready to start work now in order to provide for the increased tuition and to further cooperate with the Canyon Independent School District also in every other way possible in order to perpetuate and improve the educational facilities in Randall County.

President J. W. Spencer of the Canyon Independent School District presided and recognized the visiting trustees as follows:

Marian Bruce and Donald Ladehoff from Connally District; Glenn W. Dowlen, S. S. Howell, and J. J. Wright from Ralph District; John Menke and Wilson Campbell from Trigg District; Earl Davis, W. F. Bonds, and J. J. Leavitt from Jowell District.

John Bedenk, Conrad Westhoff, and Raymond Batenhorst from Umbarger District; O. E. Shearer from Birch District; B. E. McCormick from Zita District; John Jennings from Garrison District.

Ernie Hollenstein from Wilson District; A. H. Simon and T. G. Lair from Lakeside District; Clem dugan and O. A. Smith from Rusk District; Kermit Pond from Pierce District.

J. W. Spencer, Ross Craig, Wilford Taylor, Jr., Bradley Burrus, W. R. Crow, Paul Lindsey from Canyon Independent School District; and Judge A. H. Hunt, County Superintendent.

Editorials

When the new legislature meets in January there will be 94 of the 150 members of the House new to the job; and 9 of the 31 Senators will be serving their first term. This is an altogether too large a turn over in membership for the best interests of the State. Everyone knows that it takes at least one session for a member to get onto the ropes in the legislative halls. Unfortunately the people look with displeasure on members of the legislature and want to make changes. All of this in spite of the fact that the members do not receive enough to live on in Austin, to say nothing of the sacrifice they make in leaving their business or profession. We hope that the legislature will submit a constitutional amendment to provide pay of at least $25 per day while on duty in the regular or special session of the legislature. Such an amendment would be in line with the will of the people. You will recall that a foolish constitutional amendment was submitted to the people to provide pay of $3,650.00 per year, or $7,300 for a legislative term, which was entirely out of line.

We see where a constitutional amendment will be proposed in the next session of Congress to change the electoral system of voting. According to the explanation, it seems that we shall have a more complicated system than the present one. Why not abolish the electoral vote, and allow the vote of every Texan to count for the same as the vote of any other state? Maybe that is asking too much. Under the electoral system there is little incentive for Texans to vote. It is taken for granted that the state will go Democratic, and therefore the electoral vote will go for the Democratic nominee. But if the vote of every Texan would count in the nation's total in the race for president, more voters might be induced to go to the polls.

It's back to school for the kids of Canyon. Every youngster wants to get back to school; but tragically enough the longer they stay in school the more some of them want to get out and start to holding down good jobs. It is fine that not all youngsters are so foolish as to want to quit school and go to work. It would be tragic for the future of America when the bars are let down on education. The question is: What are we going to do with the public schools in times like these when kids who never finished high school can earn more money than college graduates who are engaged in the teaching profession? It seems strange that in a college town we should have to tell the people that our school teachers are underpaid; and that we must raise our local taxes if we are to have the kind of schools that every citizen demands.

Many Texans are getting crosswise with Governor-elect Beauford Jester over the selection of his official family. The facts are that Jester has the responsibility of being Governor. He has the right to select the men and women whom he thinks will make the best officials. The facts are that a large percent of the Jester following came from voters who chose the strongest man to defeat Rainey. They were interested primarily in defeating the deposed school man, and selected Jester as the man to turn the trick. If Jester makes a mistake in the selection of his advisers, it will be his mistake, and not the mistake of those who supported him in the election. While we were original Jester supporters here at The News office, we are not going to try to tell Mr. Jester whom he shall select as his official advisers.

Music Czar Petrillo will not allow an American band to play at the Dallas State Fair next month if a band comes from Mexico City. In addition to this, Petrillo will have union men picket the fair and urge all union men and women of Texas to boycott the Fair. We hope that the Fair officials will have nerve enough to tell Petrillo to go straight to hades and to put in jail every person who interferes with the Fair. And say, what has become of the curb that Congress put on the little wop, Petrillo? We thought he had made himself such a nuisance that Congress had curbed his activities.

Men up at Canadian have started a new kind of breakfast club. Since this is the age of service clubs, the Canadian experiment will be watched with interest. This new club has no officers, no membership, no program, no dues. Men of the community meet and have breakfast together. Each man orders what he wishes and pays his own check. During the meal and following, the men engage in an informal discussion of any subject which may seem appropriate at that particular time. There are all sorts of service clubs, and maybe this new idea will appeal to a lot of men who do not wish to be bound by the formalities of the regularly organized clubs. We have often wondered if our service clubs were not becoming over organized.

The plan of Secretary Byrnes to block the division of Germany is meeting with general approval in this nation. If Russia and France had their way, Germany would be reduced to a minor nation, with these two powers gobbling up the industries and agriculture of Germany. Russia has been trying to line France up as an ally. If there is not a strong Germany the English speaking nations will have to fight the combined allies of Russia, unless that hapless nation decides to back down on its dreams of expansion. The picture is dark. We still think that the Russian people do not want war, but they are being led by absolute dictators, who are almost as ruthless as Hitler ever was.

Governor Coke Stevenson has received little support in his desire for a redistricting bill of the state. Consequently he will not call a special session of the legislature for that purpose. With 94 members of the present house and 9 members of the Senate not going back to the new session in January it seems that the retiring members should be interested in making effective the constitutional provision of redistricting the state after each federal census. But evidently many of the defeated members think they can come back at a later date.

The army keeps telling us that there is no danger with war with Russia. But it is not acting that way. It seems that every precaution is being taken to see that war is not brought on the nation suddenly. We hope that Uncle Sam has about 2,000 big bombers loaded with atomic bombs ready for action. That would be the simplest way to dispose of the dictators if they cannot be handled any other way.

The Democrats of New York pulled the popular Senator Mead out of the U. S. Senate to oppose the popular Governor Thos. E. Dewey, titular head of the Republican party. The Dewey-Mead fight means much to both parties, and to the men engaged in the hottest political battle of the year. If Dewey wins he stands a good chance to be the presidential candidate in 1948; and if Mead wins, Dewey will be washed up and the Democrats will have a good chance to stay in power, unless unusual conditions prevail in 1948. It will be a battle royal, with no punches barred.

When an irresponsible organization takes charge of law enforcement, law goes out of the window and mob violence reigns. That is what happened when the Ku Klux Klan was flourishing. That is what happened in Tennessee when the GI's took charge of the Democratic primary. Now they are said to regret their rash steps to surplant law and order—as rotten as law enforcement may have been in that community. Authorized law is better than no law.

If everyone was perfectly honest there would be no black market. But what about the treatment that the civilians get from some of these little two-by-four federal officials who get themselves appointed to federal jobs and then swell up with self importance? Our government must be honest with the people, if it expects the people to be honest with it.

A lot of people in our neighboring city of Amarillo are being jumped on by the daily newspapers. The Times is carrying on a campaign to straighten out the tangle in regard to the plumbing business, and the practices of the master plumbers. Lewis Nordyke is carrying on a water campaign in the Globe. It seems that the Amarillo city commission is determined to develop its present water site, while other citizens want to go to a new site. Growing pains?

House-to-house peddlers and other kinds of gyp artists are invading the Panhandle in ever large numbers. Unless you want to get stung good and proper, turn 'em down; and turn 'em in to the officers if they get funny. This gang prospers through insults.

Democrats of Texas are asked to contribute money for the Congressional races this fall. Before any money is raised locally we want to see a statement from the new Democratic State Committee that it will not hog half of it to carry on its sumptuous office in Dallas.

We are told that the nation will be in the clutches of more strikes in a few more days. The maritime strike of 65,000 men is considered a small affair as to what we may expect.

Texas has a most unusual community enterprise in the town of Gainesville — a community circus. Business and professional men and women, sales girls and men and women from every walk of life make up the largest amateur circus crew in the world. Those who have seen the show state that it is really good.

Every week when we go through the country newspapers of the Panhandle we find one or more papers which announces increased subscription and advertising rates. Better keep your subscription to The Canyon News paid well in advance before we are forced to make an increase in rates.

Back to school Tuesday! Every child in Randall county of scholastic age should not neglect the opportunity of becoming a better American citizen in the future.

You can gain or lose an hour by crossing Main St. in Delmar, Del. The Delaware-Maryland line runs right up the center of Main St. The Delaware side has daylight saving time, while the Maryland side is on standard.

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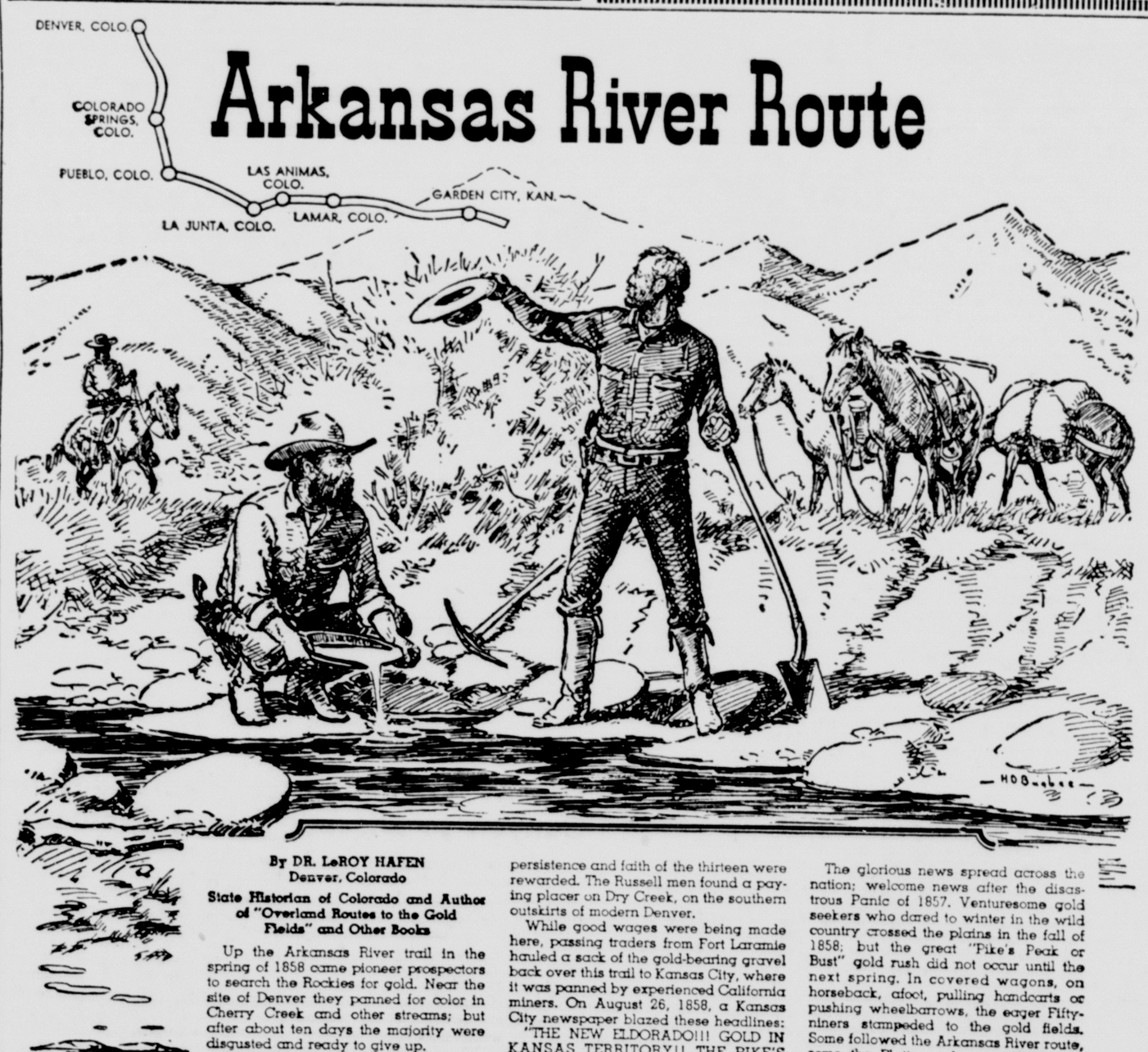


Arkansas River Route

By DR. LeROY HAFEN
Denver, Colorado
State Historian of Colorado and Author of "Overland Routes to the Gold Fields" and Other Books

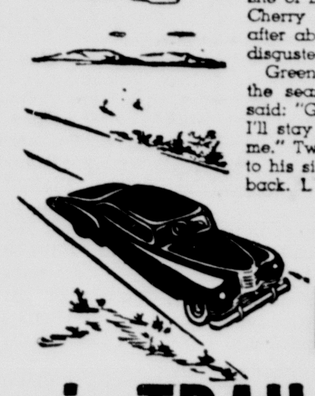
Up the Arkansas River trail in the spring of 1858 came pioneer prospectors to search the Rockies for gold. Near the site of Denver they panned for color in Cherry Creek and other streams; but after about ten days the majority were disgusted and ready to give up.

Green Russell, determined to continue the search, stood out by himself and said: "Gentlemen, you can go back, but I'll stay if just two men will stay with me." Twelve men, one by one, stepped to his side. The other ninety-one turned back. L[illegible]r that very day, July 6, the persistence and faith of the thirteen were rewarded. The Russell men found a paying placer on Dry Creek, on the southern outskirts of modern Denver.

While good wages were being made here, passing traders from Fort Laramie hauled a sack of the gold-bearing gravel back over this trail to Kansas City, where it was panned by experienced California miners. On August 26, 1858, a Kansas City newspaper blazed these headlines: "THE NEW ELDORADO!!! GOLD IN KANSAS TERRITORY!! THE PIKE'S PEAK MINES! . . . Old mountain traders just in from Pike's Peak. They bring several ounces of gold . . . John Cantrell, an old citizen of Westport, has three ounces which he dug with a hatchet in Cherry Creek and washed out with a frying pan."

The glorious news spread across the nation; welcome news after the disastrous Panic of 1857. Venturesome gold seekers who dared to winter in the wild country crossed the plains in the fall of 1858; but the great "Pike's Peak or Bust" gold rush did not occur until the next spring. In covered wagons, on horseback, afoot, pulling handcarts or pushing wheelbarrows, the eager Fifty-niners stampeded to the gold fields. Some followed the Arkansas River route, some the Platte, and some the Smoky Hill. A few found wealth in the mines; many suffered disappointment.

Though the gold fever subsided, the western trek over the prairie trails never abated. In the same tracks came farmers, homeseekers, business men, and dreamers to found a western empire.



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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Batenhorst and family spent Sunday evening in the Ben Koch home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Friemel and family visited in the home of Fritz Friemel, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Frische spent Sunday afternoon with W. M. Wolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Diller and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bracht and family were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hund of Hereford, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Prizilas and family visited with Mrs. P. Friemel and Molly Schindler Sunday.

Those exchanging visits Sunday were: Annie Lindermann with Barbara Raef, Carl Frische with Eugene and Bernard Grabber, Eugene and Gotfried Frische with Jimmy Skarke, Joe Artho with Roman Friemel, Mary Jansen with Elizabeth Ann Beckman, Marcella Prizilas with Christina Friemel, and Willie Artho with Johnnie Beckman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wieck and family and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Friemel visited in the Ted Irlbeck home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Westhoff are the proud parents of a baby girl, Catherine Viola.

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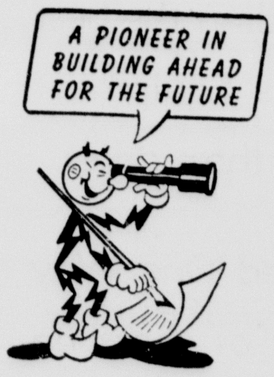

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Hunter's Moon

By DON C. SHAFER

THREE long and valiant years ex-Corporal Loren LaFond had waited for this day. Now he was home again. Home in his beloved mountains.

This was the day of days—the first day of deer hunting. Since he was fourteen, when grandfather gave him his first rifle, Loren had hunted deer, and until he enlisted he never missed an opening day.

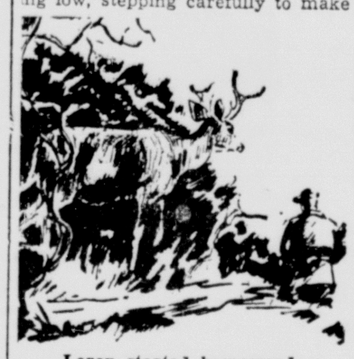
At Wolf Rock Loren left the old log road and made his way slowly and carefully to the top of Windy Ridge, connecting Cat Mountain with Old Tobie, where he knew of a natural deer crossing. This was a likely place to intercept a buck disturbed by drivers on the opposite ridge and seeking safety in the rocky heights above. In the distance he heard a rifle shot, another and another.

"One shot meat," repeating the old saying to himself, with a grin, "Two shots maybe, three shots salt pork for supper."

At the top of the ridge he selected a convenient rock where he could stretch out his aching leg and rest his back against a tree. Warm October sun filtered down through the lacy pattern of interlaced branches overhead.

Far down the slope, a shadow moved. Watching closely, Loren saw that it was a big buck, and coming his way. Ordinarily this buck would have been bedded down for the day. Evidently it had been aroused by hunters and knew that it was being hunted.

The buck came slowly up the wooded slope, antlered head swinging low, stepping carefully to make



Loren started homeward.

no noise, taking full advantage of the cover. Loren knew that a buck runs only as a last resort, with long legs and specially developed muscles to carry it bounding over twelve-foot obstructions, leaping thirty and more feet at a stride. Every few careful steps the buck stopped and when motionless was quite invisible in its protective fall coloring.

As the buck came nearer Loren could see that it had been wounded. From time to time it turned to lick a bleeding cut high on the left quarter. It fairly crawled up a shallow ravine.

Nearing the top of the ridge the buck "froze," breathing deep—evidently a bit of man scent warned it of danger ahead. A few slow and cautious steps and it laid down in a small hollow, with only the antlered head, on long neck, raised to watch, polished horns looking like a bit of dead brush. Then Loren saw the hunter coming up the slope, a heavy man in red mackinaw coat, noisily crushing dry leaves, watching the woods ahead, automatic rifle ready, but paying no attention to the faint trail. The red coat passed within a few yards of the hidden buck, never suspecting it was there, and disappeared down the hill.

Loren was so engrossed watching the safety precautions of the hunted that he almost forgot that he was the hunter, with a loaded rifle across his knees. Now, at point blank range, he remembered the gun. Waiting until the buck's head was turned, he raised the rifle quickly. In that instant, as his eye sought the rifle sights, there flashed through his mind the memory of another hunt—

He saw a wounded Yank, helmet and rifle gone, in torn G.I. uniform, splashing through the muck and water of a rice paddy, in a hail of bullets, falling and raising again and again. Excited Japs splashing after him, screaming, shooting, racing from all sides to head him off, to kill him. The hunted man ran limping down a hedge row, threw himself into an irrigation ditch, along which he crawled with speed, to gain a maize field.

From field to field they harried him, beating up the cover, showering every movement with bullets. Exhausted, hurt, the hunted man laid hidden when he dared, slinking away again when the noisy hunt became too close, using all the craft and cunning learned from wily bucks he had hunted, not always successfully. He doubled back, where they would be least likely to look for him, and slid unobserved into the muddy water of the rice paddy. Submerging all but his face he covered this with a handful of water weeds and laid there until darkness and the hunt was over for the day.

The picture faded away—the rifle came slowly down.

"I don't believe I will ever hunt again," he said aloud.

The surprised buck bounded away. Loren got up, rubbed circulation back into his aching leg and started homeward.

Private medical aid plan is called a bar to Federal entry.

Randall County Vets Will Receive First Hand Information

A representative of Veterans Administration will be at the court house on the first Tuesday of each month for the purpose of giving discharged veterans information. Gerald W. Collingsworth, in charge of field work, states:

"Ours is a highly personalized service to the veteran or his dependents. The contact representative is the source of relationship with the veterans administration. Instead of the veteran having to go to each of the eleven divisions of the VA Regional office to receive whatever information he may wish, or whatever benefit he may be entitled, he may consult the contact office nearest his home," Collingsworth explained.

The contact representative is not only a source of information for the veteran, but he is a source of actual help in preparing necessary forms, and applications, and in securing the necessary certificates, and documents the veteran will need in order to receive his benefits from the VA. In many cases he fills out the forms for the veteran. All interviews are private and confidential. The first purpose of the representative is to put the veteran at ease and to assure him of his genuine interest to be of service.

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Farmers Plan World Action

International Organization To Settle Difficulties Arising on Farms.

WASHINGTON. — Almost unnoticed in the crush of other events, the farmers of the world have taken a long step forward in setting up their own machinery to settle international farm problems and prevent future depressions, says the United Press.

The four major American farm organizations, along with similar groups from 12 other countries, recently met in London to lay the groundwork for the first world organization of independent farm groups — the International Council of Agricultural Producers.

National Grange Master Albert S. Goss said the 11-day meeting convinced him that the world's independent farm groups "can and will work together" to prevent economic conflicts between farmers of various nations. Goss represented the grange at the London meeting.

Complete Agreement.

"There was complete agreement among the nations attending the conference," he said, "that some organization was needed to stabilize farm prices on an international basis.

"The surplus producing nations of the world particularly were agreed that agriculture would lead the world to bankruptcy unless some way were found to deal with future surpluses which might set one nation to underselling the others."

Goss said several ways were proposed to meet the threat of surpluses.

One country suggested a giant corporation which would buy up all farm products funneled into world trade.

Another proposed a world-wide extension service to educate farmers in what to grow.

Even prior to the conference Goss said, the British Farmers' union sent out a tentative constitution for a proposed world federation of farm organizations which would have had an elaborate staff and permanent world headquarters.

Money is Pledged.

"The four U. S. farm groups felt this was too ambitious," he said. "They thought a couple of years of consideration might be wise before we launched a definite program."

As a result, a compromise was reached.

The representatives to the conference pledged $40,000 to set up a temporary council which will function during the coming year under a constitution worked out at the meeting.

Next year a permanent council may be set up. Its objectives would be:

To promote the farmers' welfare all over the world.

To exchange agricultural information and ideas throughout the world.

To encourage efficient farming methods.

To advise and confer with international food organizations such as the United Nations food and agriculture organization so they have the viewpoint of the farmer in whatever plans they make.

Fire Destroys Canvas Of 'Custer's Last Stand'

ST. LOUIS.—The original 9-by-16-foot painting of "Custer's Last Stand" was destroyed by a fire at the Fort Bliss Officers' club at El Paso, Texas.

Reproductions of the painting have adorned bars throughout the world through distribution by the Anheuser-Busch Brewing company.

An official of the brewery estimated more than 150,000 copies of the painting have been distributed.

Accepted accounts are that Adolphus Busch Sr., grandfather of the firm's present head, paid a St. Louis saloonkeeper $30,000 for the picture and presented it to the seventh cavalry, the regiment of General Custer and his men who died in the 1876 massacre.

Jap Admits Theft of Java's State Treasure

BATAVIA, JAVA. — Col. Akira Nomura, chief of the Japanese planning board in Java, confessed recently stealing part of the 30 million dollar Java state treasure, but told authorities that "in the confusion of the Japanese surrender I forgot where I hid it."

E. Brunsweld van Hulten, Dutch prosecutor, said Nomura would face a double charge—illegal possession of property and responsibility for war crimes. Nomura has been held in a prisoner of war camp.

Poland's Population Now Tops 23 Million Mark

WARSAW. — Poland now has a population of 23,622,334. Lodz is the biggest city, with 496,000 inhabitants. Warsaw has 476,000, Cracow 300,000 and Poznan 268,000.

Poland's prewar population was 35,100,000.

Out of the total population, 16,210,000 people are peasants and 7,412,000 live in towns and cities. A total of 5,012,000 now inhabit Poland's new western territories.

Consumers resist price rises, buyers' strikes called "negligible."

Tale of a Mouse

By M. J. COLLINS

STAN JACKSON owned the service station beside the pine grove a few miles outside the town. It was a good location and Stan made a fair living.

This was Saturday and he'd been busy all day, and so had the cash register.

"What's goin' on now?" Highway Patrolman Clancy Burke asked as he stepped into the service station.

Stan looked up from the corner where he was bent over fixing something. "I'm trying to catch a mouse," he answered, "and having a time of it, too!"

"Listen, Stan," Clancy's mood turned serious. "There has been a lot of service stations robbed lately, youngsters seem to be at the racket, so don't leave too much cash lying around."

"Oh, they'd never bother with a place like this." Stan's mind wasn't on Clancy's warning. "Now if I could only catch that mouse." Clancy fled.

The next few hours were busy ones for Stan. It was well past midnight when he eased himself into his rocking chair for a look over the newspaper. "I'll stay open till one o'clock just in case there are a few more to come," he thought.

Hardly had he settled down when there was a "snap."

"Ah," he cried, "I've got you this time!" Jumping to his feet, he rushed back to the corner. He pushed the box aside, but the mouse was gone, and so was the cheese.

The man looked hard and grim.

Perplexed, Stan scratched his head. Getting another bit of cheese, he reset and placed the trap in position. As he turned around the mouse scurried back into a hole in the opposite wall.

"I'll get you yet!" he muttered, shaking a fist at it, and picked up his paper.

The car grinding to a stop woke him up. Before he was out of the chair, the door opened and a man stepped in, closely followed by a girl.

"Good evening," Stan said, starting to move behind the counter. The man looked hard and grim.

"Stand where you are." The voice sent chills up and down Stan's spine. "Put up your hands."

A small automatic's ugly snout was pointing where Stan had always considered his heart was. Right now it was pounding in his mouth. His hands shot up with all possible speed.

"Wise guy," the man sneered.

The cash register sat on the counter at the opposite end, and Stan's eyes stole towards it. There was almost two hundred dollars in it.

"Take it easy, buddy," the man laughed. "It's going to help the poor, eh, babe?" he said to the girl.

"Yeah!" from the corner of her flaming mouth.

If Clancy were only here. Stan's ears were straining for the sound of the motorcycle.

"Here," the man said curtly, "hold the gun on him." She took it while he emptied the register.

The sight of his vanishing money made Stan see red.

"Don't try it, sap!" the woman said coldly.

A pair of small, beady eyes stared out of a hole in the wall. The mouse started to run across the floor. The girl screamed and, dropping the gun, scrambled up on a chair.

Cursing, the man turned. All the fury in Stan's fist crashed into his face. He went crashing into the wall and slumped to the floor.

In the excitement the sound of the motorcycle had gone unnoticed. Clancy had stepped inside, surveyed the scene and quietly asked, "What goes on?"

Stan heaved a sigh of relief. "You're just in time."

"I think so," Clancy said, dryly, taking the gun out of the shaking hand. "This might go off and damage someone." And as an afterthought, "even you."

The two would-be thieves had been taken away Stan and Clancy were in the back drinking coffee, Clancy asked. "Just how did you get the drop on them?"

"Well," he replied, "he handed the gun to the girl. Migosh, wait!" he cried, rushing out to the front. In a few seconds he was back. "Look at this," holding up the trap. The mouse was pinned by the tail.

"Ah! Success!" Clancy chuckled.

Setting the trap on the floor, Stan released the mouse.

"What in the world did you do that for?" Clancy asked.

"The mouse proved my argument." Stan beamed. "It saved the country two hundred dollars."

He who laughs last has found a double meaning.

Highway Officers Warn to Secure Transfers on Cars

Buyers of used cars were warned Thursday to secure from the seller acceptable proof of ownership as the State Highway Department moved toward wiping out traffic in stolen and mortgaged motor vehicles in Texas.

"All County Tax Collectors have now received instructions to hold the line in requiring proof of ownership on all applications for vehicle titles," E. J. Amey, Director of Motor Vehicle Registration announced. Applications for Texas titles are made through local Tax Collectors under the present law.

"Properly assigned certificate of title from any of the thirty States having a title law similar to Texas is the best evidence of ownership. The purchaser should insist upon receiving a release of any lien recorded on a Texas title or a title issued by any other state," Amey stated.

Outlining minimum acceptable ownership proof of vehicles brought into Texas from any of the seventeen non-title States, which includes Louisiana, Amey announced, "We will accept a 1945 license receipt from Louisiana or other non-title State and the current receipt if both are in the name of the person applying for the Texas title."

"Bills of Sale showing all changes in ownership must supplement such 1945 license receipt, if applicant for a Texas title is not the same person in whose name the receipt is issued," he added.

Strict enforcement of the Texas title law was endorsed at a recent meeting of car dealers, enforcement officers, tax collectors and representatives of finance and insurance companies. The meeting had been called to determine if present requirements for title were meeting with the approval of all concerned.

"Numerous stolen and mortgaged cars bearing license plates from non-title States have been sold in Texas," Amey said. "Purchasers of such vehicles are unable to obtain valid titles in Texas and the vehicles are subject to seizure by their lawful owners."

The National Automobile Theft Bureau has estimated that the current requirements of the Highway Department have reduced sales of stolen cars in Texas by half.

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MR. AND MRS. AVENT W. LAIR

On August 30, Miss Winnie Fred Ramage, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Ramage of Borger, became the bride of Avent W. Lair, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lair of Canyon, in the First Methodist Church in Borger.

The Rev. J. N. Hunt, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church performed the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with baskets of white flowers, palms and lighted white candles which were tiered at either side of the altar.

Mrs. G. F. Copeland, organist, played a program of nuptial music, and accompanied Miss Allene Raburn of Wellington, cousin of the bride, soloist, who sang "I Love Thee" and "Because." Traditional wedding marches were played.

Preceding the ceremony, candles were lighted by Miss Delanna West, who wore a pink frock and wristlets of flowers.

Miss Fern Zimmer of Amarillo, college roommate and sorority sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a frock of blue taffeta, with a large shoulder corsage of pink gladioli.

Jack Williams of Beaver, Oklahoma attended the bridegroom as best man. Ushers were James Lair, brother of the bridegroom, Connally Lockhart, Carol Doshier, and Clarence Kincaid, all of Canyon.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of ivory satin with a yoke of white marquisette, and leg-of-mutton sleeves which came to a point at the wrists. Her two tiered fingertip veil of French illusion fell from a cluster of flowers. Her only ornament was a single strand of pearls, a gift of the bridegroom. She carried a bridal bouquet formed of a single orchid encircled with carnations.

Mrs. Ramage, mother of the bride, wore a dress of aqualine crepe with black accessories and a corsage of gardenias. Mrs. Lair, mother of the bridegroom, wore a dress of black crepe and a shoulder corsage of gardenias.

The bride graduated from Borger High School in 1943 and has attended West Texas State College for the past three years. She is a member of Delta Zeta Chi sorority, a member of Who's Who, and was president of the Students' Association in 1946.

Mr. Lair is a 1937 graduate from West Texas High School, and at the time of his induction into the armed forces was a junior at West Texas State College, where he was affiliated with Epsilon Beta fraternity, and a member of the dramatic club.

After a wedding trip to New Mexico and Colorado, the couple will return to Canyon, where they will enroll as seniors in West Texas State.

ALLEN-GIBSON VOWS ARE SAID AUGUST 31

In a single ring ceremony, August 31, Miss Rosa Lee Allen of Lockney was married to Charles E. Gibson of Canyon. Rev. E. J. Cobb performed the ceremony in the home of the bride's cousin, Mrs. Morgan Lawson.

Attending the couple were Mrs. Morgan Lawson, and Marion Allen, brother of the bride.

The bride was dressed in blue, and her flowers were asters. She carried a Bible which was ninety-nine years old.

Mrs. Gibson has been employed in Amarillo. Mr. Gibson is engaged in the interior decoration business in Canyon.

The couple will be at home in Canyon.

BIRTHDAY PARTY HONORS DOROTHY JEAN BROWN

On Friday night, September 6, a birthday dinner party honoring Miss Dorothy Jean Brown was given for some of her friends.

After dinner, the girls saw a movie, and then attended a slumber party at the home of the honoree.

Those attending the party were Misses Suzanne Owens, Norma Jean Tomlinson, Betty Lou Hood, Edna Sue Hood, and the honoree.

WESTSIDE CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. BABER

One of the most important things in cutting a garment is to keep the pattern on the straight of the material, stated Miss Lou Ella Patterson, in her demonstration on fitting and altering commercial patterns. Miss Patterson addressed the West Side Home Demonstration Club, when it met with Mrs. P. H. Baber September 4.

The speaker also urged the women to check seam allowance in the pattern; if the pattern calls for shoulder pads, they should be placed under the pattern in fitting it to the body.

A shower honoring Mrs. John Bryan was held at this meeting also.

Punch and cake were served to the following: Mrs. Stevenson from Claude, Mrs. T. E. Beard and Mrs. Boyd Moore, visitors; Miss Patterson and Mesdames R. A. Burrus, C. E. Head, B. A. Burrus, John Bryan, W. L. Avent, Lewis Tucek, W. C. Roberts, Ray Metcalf, J. A. Carter, J. B. Hager, J. A. Smith, L. D. Winn, Ed Bourn, E. N. Zachry, and the hostess.

The next meeting will be at the Thompson Club Room , September 18.

MRS. KNIGHTON HOSTESS NEW BRIDAL COUPLE

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. Mack Stallings, Mrs. T. H. Knighton entertained approximately thirty-five friends for a shower, Friday evening, August 6.

Because it was a surprise affair, the couple opened the gifts, all of which were attractively wrapped.

Bob Kilgore, student director of the First Baptist Church, then led the group in a sing-song.

Refreshments of white cake squares, salted nuts, and punch were served to the guests.

Jowell Items

Mrs. Dorothy Tidenburg of Amarillo is visiting in the parental H. P. Bonds home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Scott spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leavitt in their new home near Dalhart.

Miss Mollie Singletary of Amarillo is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barrett.

Jimmy Montgomery visited Raymond and Edward Hinders Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bonds have moved into their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy N. Byrd and Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Scott visited last week at Rule with Mrs. Scott's and Mrs. Byrd's aunt.

Bill O'Brien has returned to his home in Aaton, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bonds and girls, Mrs. H. P. Bonds, and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bonds and Kenneth attended the Elrod-Roark wedding.

The Boy Scouts held a meeting at the school house Monday night.

Boy Scouts who spent Sunday in Palo Duro Park were Landon Barrett, Jimmy Montgomery, Billy Wayne Bonds, Walton Byrd, Ray McDonald, G. J. Bonds, Ervin Davis, Jack Bonds and Malcolm Gunter of Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kriekmeier and family from Nebraska visited Wednesday, Thursday and Friday with the Ben Buecker family.

Audie Lidia is on the sick list this week with the flu.

Miss Carolyn Black of Canyon was a dinner guest Wednesday evening in the Louis Hinders home.

Lt. Louis G. Hinders left Friday for Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

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H. D. COUNCIL MEETS IN SESSION SATURDAY

The Randall County Home Demonstration Council met in regular session Saturday, September 7, with 23 members and visitors present.

Mrs. S. C. Elliott presided and roll call was answered by representatives from ten clubs, including two new clubs, Broadmoor and Jowell, which were organized by Miss Lou Ella Patterson this month.

Reports were given by Mrs. G. R. Ross, finance; Mrs. R. A. Burrus, yearbook; Mrs. Kenneth Burrum, exhibit. Mrs. Forrest Gruner and Jane Hales gave a very interesting report on their trip to the Round-Up at College Station.

Reports on the State Convention of Texas Home Demonstration Agents which was held in Amarillo, August 14, 15, and 16 were given by Mrs. S. G. Elliott, Mrs. R. A. Burrus, and Mrs. D. C. McCormick. Miss Patterson made some announcements and asked each Randall County club member to attend the Achievement Day Programs.

Those present were: Mesdames Elliott, Colling, Ross, Sid Carter, Burrus, Wise, Henry, Burum, McCormick, John Robinson, Edgar Robinson, Schaeffer, Gruner, Byars, Williams, R. C. Harrison, E. E. Cooper, J. W. Carter, Hood, and Misses Hales and Patterson.

MISS PATTERSON TALKS TO HIGHLAND H. D. CLUB

Fitting dress patterns before cutting out the material was stressed by Miss Lou Ella Patterson in her talk on pattern fitting and dress making at the Highland Home Demonstration Club meeting.

The Highland Club met in the home of Mrs. W. N. Cretsinger. The meeting was called to order by the president. Roll call was answered by giving interesting new fashion trends.

Refreshments of coffee and sandwiches were served by the hostess to Mesdames S. E. Brightwell, George Cooke, Layne Cotter, L. J. Fulton, A. N. Green, Clyde Jones, L. E. Mason, Frances Mitchell, P. Nesselroad, J. L. Tidwell, Temple Jarnigan, and one visitor, Mrs. Tom Watson.

The next meeting will be September 17 with Mrs. J. L. Tidwell.

MOTHER-IN-LAW CLUB OPENS NEW YEAR THURSDAY

The Mother-in-Law Club met in Thompson's Club Room Thursday afternoon to hold the first meeting of the new year.

In the absence of Mrs. R. D. Lowry, president, Mrs. E. C. Penick presided over the meeting. After the business meeting, a program of music, readings, and a story told by Miss M. Moss Richardson were enjoyed.

Fruit was served to Mrs. C. W. Dunn, Mrs. Belle Ward, Little Anthony Breitling, and Miss Richardson, guests; Mesdames J. M. Breitling, M. E. Sorgee, C. H. Stratton, E. Gidden, W. S. Myers, R. M. Gibbs, B. C. Cole, Otto White, Mary Langston, W. I. Wester, Mary Burtz, G. B. Bourland, E. C. Penick, I. M. Steen, W. H. Sparks, and Cynthia Anderson, members.

PLEASANT JOE 4-H CLUB HAD PICNIC AT BUFFALO LAKE

The Pleasant Joe 4-H girls with their mothers as guests had a picnic meeting at Buffalo Lake, September 3.

The group had a weiner roast and played games and hiked. A business meeting was held in which Mrs. Roy Montgomery was elected sponsor.

Guests and the girls present were Mrs. G. J. Bonds, Mrs. G. A. Dietz, Mrs. J. H. Dietz, Mrs. Roy Montgomery, Mrs. Louis Hinders, Janie Jennings, Peggy, Johnnie Faye and Ruby Lee Bonds, Dolores Dietz, Jerrie and Wanelle Montgomery, and Laverne Hinders.

BARBARA JORDAN WAS DINNER PARTY HONOREE

Honoring Miss Barbara Jordan of Amarillo, Miss Frankie Phillips was hostess for a dinner party in her home Saturday evening.

The table was beautifully decorated with a centerpiece of summer cut flowers, and with tall silver tapers on either side.

Dinner was served to Misses Juanita Bell, Carolyn Black, Martha Jean Dowd, Anita Davis, Jordan, Phillips, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Phillips.

Miss Jordan and Miss Phillips are friends from the Western Life Camp, held each summer in Las Vegas, N. M.

MRS. HALEY IS HOSTESS FOR BRIDGE THURSDAY

Twelve of the young women of the town gathered in the home of Mrs. Clyde W. Warwick Thursday for a bridge party. Mrs. Arthur C. Haley, Jr. was hostess to the club.

High score was won by Mrs. Quentin Lewis, and low score was taken by Mrs. Chris Wooten.

A dessert course of cherry pie and ice cream was served to: Mesdames Lee Russel, Jack Taylor, R. S. Davis, Bob Orton, Meredith Warren, Bill Sternenberg, Wooten, and Mesdames Harley Stone, Ed Baggot and Lewis of Amarillo, and Miss Billie Bee Flesher, the hostess, and Mrs. Warwick.

MEXICAN DINNER HONORS GIRLS LEAVING FOR SCHOOL

Miss Martha Jean Dowd was hostess Tuesday evening to a group of girls leaving for college elsewhere. A Mexican style dinner was served to the girls, and they went to the movie in Amarillo afterwards.

Those attending the dinner were: Miss Martha Hannah Hammond, 1946 graduate of West Texas State; Miss Frankie Phillips, who leaves September 16 for TSCW at Denton; Miss Carolyn Black who leaves September 14 to enroll in TCU in Fort worth; Miss Anita Davis, who leaves October 13 to re-enter Indiana University; and Miss Dowd, who leaves September 16 to enter Baylor University in Waco.

PRISCILLA CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. LOUDDER

Lovely fall flowers were used in the entertaining rooms, when Mrs. S. B. Loudder was hostess to the Priscilla Club on Wednesday, September 4.

Cake and coffee were served to Mesdames Hud Prichard, Clyde McElroy, C. M. Dowlen, Irvin SoRelle, J. J. Walker, E. D. Walker, J. M. White, and J. Madison Daugherty.

SUE HITE CLUB HAS MEETING ON MONDAY

The Sue Hite Club had its first meeting of the year on Monday afternoon, September 9, in Thompson's Club Room.

A varied program dealing with social problems will be the subject for the year's study.

Mrs. Dewey Foster was chairman of the Founder's Day program.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. J. A. Hill when club members will be guests for a tea.

M. B. BROWN IS HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY DINNER

Honoring M. B. Brown on his birthday, Mr. and Mrs. Hank Decker and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Brown entertained Mr. and Mrs. Brown with a dinner party Tuesday evening.

Mrs. John Campbell, niece of John Knight, and her daughter of Tyler, were in Dallas last week when she fell and fractured her hip. She is now in a Dallas hospital for treatment. Mrs. Campbell has visited in the Knight home here.

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MR. AND MRS. BLAINE L. HUFNAGLE

An altar banked with white gladioli and clemetis formed the setting for the marriage of Miss Fay Plaster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Plaster to Blaine L. Hufnagle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hufnagle of Fremont, Indiana on Wednesday evening, September 4.

Lyle Bonner, minister of the Church of Christ, read the double ring service in the home of the bride's parents.

Miss Gloria Fay Waggoner, niece of the bride, played "In a Rose Garden," while Mrs. Clyde Waggoner, sister of the bride, lighted the tapers. Miss Waggoner played the "Flower Song" to form a musical accompaniment for the exchange of vows. Traditional marches were used for the processional and recessional.

Miss Billie Bee Flesher served as bridesmaid. She was attired in a gown of white net fashioned with a sweetheart neckline and fitted skirt. She carried a colonial bouquet of gladioli centered with a gardenia surrounded by maline tufts tied with matching satin ribbon.

John Plaster, brother of the bride served as best man.

The bride wore a gown of white slipper satin, fashioned with sweetheart neckline, fitted bodice, and a gathered shirt of net. Her fingertip veil fell from a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a white prayer book topped with an orchid.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Plaster wore a black crepe dress and a shoulder bouquet of gardenias.

Following the ceremony, the bridal party was honored with a reception. The bride's table was centered with an arrangement of white clemetis flanked with white tapers in crystal candelabra. The three-tiered wedding cake was topped with wedding bells. Mrs. Waggoner presided at the punch bowl, and Mrs. Charles R. Flesher served the cake.

After the reception, Mr. and Mrs. Hufnagle left on a wedding trip to New Mexico and Colorado.

Mrs. Hufnagle was graduated from Canyon High School and West Texas State College. Mr. Hufnagle was graduated from Fremont High School. He served three years in the Army Air Forces. He is now engaged in farming at Fremont, Indiana, where the couple will make their home.

Notes From The County H. D. Agent

Peaple who enjoy gardening and who like to have home grown tomatoes to eat and can would certainly enjoy seeing Mrs. W. L. Avent's tomato patch now. The ground is covered from row to row with lush foliage and the plants are literally full of tomatoes in various stages of maturity. One of the most interesting things about tomatoes growing at Mrs. Avent's is the fact that she has "good luck" with her tomatoes every year. This is no exceptional crop for her.

Mrs. Avent grows her own plants and believes in getting them out as early as possible. She believes that with ordinary care and plenty of water any one can be successful in raising tomatoes here. She floods the entire patch with water at least once a week. Her plants are not pruned and afford a good shade on the ground, which seems to help in setting on fruit as those plants on the outside that are exposed to bare soil on the one side drop their blooms badly and have much less fruit than the plants located away from the edges.

Part of these tomatoes are Marglobes and part are from seed Mrs. Avent saved and the variety is not known, but they are extremely well adapted here.

Other gardeners over the county are making similar crops of tomatoes this year. Varieties that seem to be well adapted here according to their experience are Marglobe, Bison, and Improved Porter.

MRS. ROBINSON-MRS. DOWLEN GIVE BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mrs. S. L. Robinson and Mrs. Glen Dowlen gave a surprise birthday luncheon at the Dowlen country home honoring Mrs. C. M. Dowlen.

A delicious luncheon of fried chicken, creamed potatoes, gravy, green beans, apricot salad, hot rolls, ice cream and angel food cake were served to: Mesdames A. W. Sternenburg, Clyde McElroy, J. W. Shook, S. B. Loudder, Joe Thompson, Geo. Nance, Jessie Parker, J. J. Walker, C. M. Presley, Ernest Brown, J. W. Shepard, Robinson, Dowlen, and Dowlen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Forbes of Grapevine were recent visitors in the John Boling home. They were en route to the Rockies for a vacation.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles W. Martin have returned from an extended visit with Mrs. Martin's sister, Mrs. A. H. Hutton, who has been quite ill. Dr. and Mrs. Martin have reopened their office in Canyon.

Wallace R. Clark has returned from a visit in Hollywood and San Diego, California. Mrs. William Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clark, who has been visiting here this summer, returned to her home.

Mrs. Irene Sloan, Ridings and Mary Ann, and Howard Cox, brother of Mrs. Sloan, are visiting and vacationing a few days this week in Dallas and other Central Texas cities.

Howard Cox will leave this weekend to take up his work as head of the Department of Foreign Languages at Big Springs Junior College.

Bobby Dowd left Sunday morning for Bryan where he will enroll in Texas A. & M. J. C. Dowd accompanied him on his trip. He was enrolled in A. & M., before he entered the Navy in 1944.

Lt. j.g.) and Mrs. Si Marchbanks left Mobeetie September 3 for Bryan, Texas, where Lt. Marchbanks will enter Texas A. & M. this fall. He had completed his junior year when he went into service in 1942.

Mrs. Frank Garrett, Miss Jean, Frances and Nancy from Prairie Grove, Arkansas, visited in the John Boling home during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crowder of Clovis, N. M. visited Sunday in Goodnight.

Misses Hazel and Mary Lee Cooper left Monday to resume their positions as teachers in the Bellflower, California schools.

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Mrs. W. R. Boone and Mrs. Averitt from Cleburne, Texas are visiting Mrs. R. M. Lindsey and J. R. Boone. Ward Lee Boone from Plainview is also visiting in those homes.

Bill Hood, seaman second class, left Saturday night for San Diego, California after spending a 12-day boot camp leave in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. McCarter returned last week from Washington and brought Mr. and Mrs. Berry McCarter home with them.

Mrs. L. K. Armstrong of Holbrook, Arizona visited Saturday in Canyon. E. Burroughs, Jr. will teach in Holbrook this year and Mrs. Armstrong accompanied him home for the week-end.

Miss Jane Campbell left Tuesday for Austin where she will enroll in the University of Texas as a junior. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Campbell took her down.

C. M. Dowlen and Jim Carr returned Tuesday from a vacation in Old Mexico, Albuquerque, N. M., and Hot Springs, Arkansas.

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Strong Buffalo Squad Training For Tech Game

A lengthy scrimmage session Saturday afternoon ended the first week of fall training for Coach W. W. (Windy) Nicklaus' Buffaloes.

For Saturday's scrimmage Nicklaus gave starting assignments to Metz LaFollette and Boyce Box at ends, Bob Terry and Noel Cudd at tackles, Elvin and Dwaine Lyon at guards, Bobby Winkles at center, LeRoy Reeves at quarterback, Burl Pruitt and Lloyd Johnson at halfbacks and R. A. "Big Butch" Boyter at fullback.

This team started against a defensive team of Kenneth Jones and Jack Tidmore at ends, Billy Buck and Harold Lummus at tackles, Joe Bill Little and A. L. Hodge at guards, Weldon Trice at center, Jim Wilson and Billy Brown at half, Junior Melton at quarterback and Vic Bates at fullback.

After seeing his boys under fire for the first time Nicklaus said the boys were looking good and that they had made tremendous progress in the first week of training.

The fans on hand for the scrimmage seemed amazed at the reserve strength of the Buffaloes this year. Nicklaus and Van Meter fielded four teams of seemingly equal caliber in both size, hustle, and speed.

It is problematic if the same team will start against Tech that drew starting assignments on the offensive team in Saturday's scrimmage. Barring injuries, the same team that took field on the offensive Saturday appears now to be the most likely to get the starting nod. In the two weeks yet for practice before the opener with Tech time and hard work is ample for the uncovering of hidden talent in the 'ill large squad of Buffaloes. Hard work and more scrimmages will probably move boys up and down on the roster. Coaches Nicklaus and Van Meter are scanning their squad carefully these days as they put them through their paces.

Competition is keen for berths on the squad. The Buffs are long on strength in every position. The heavy, effective weapon of unit substitution may be wielded frequently if the Buffs' mentors so desire.

In Line Coach Van Meter's line he has 9 ends, 9 guards, 7 tackles, and 4 centers from which to select his seven starters. The ends are: Boyce Box, Marvin Bowman, Omer Jordan, Kenneth Jones, Charles Kitchens, Metz LaFollette, Don Leach, Monroe Rowden, and Jack Tidmore.

The tackles: Duane Byars, Noel T. Cudd, Jr., Wayne Hill, James Love, Karl Meyers, Bob Terry, and Charles Vick.

The guards: Pete Bromley, Beryl Dean Clinton, Harold Dalton, Dwaine Lyon, Elvin Lyon, Sed Levy, O. C. Rampley, A. D. Shaver, and Odis Smith.

The centers: Cecil Caraway, Homer Garrett, Weldon Trice, and Bob Winkles.

In the backfield Nicklaus has 4 quarterbacks, 9 halfbacks, and 4 fullbacks.

The quarterbacks: Junior Melton, Ray Moore, LeRoy Reeves, and Joe Willoughby.

The halfbacks: Rufus Bradford, Cozell Foster, Kenneth Glasgow, Lloyd Johnson, Burl Pruitt, Bill Reimers, Troyce Waldrop, Mack Winter and Boyd Williams.

The fullbacks: R. A. "Big Butch" Boyter, Bill Greenfield, Dawson Little, and Vic Bates.

Injuries are cropping out in the ranks of the Buffs. O. C. Rampley, Boyce Box, Sed Levy, Weldon Trice and Dawson Little are nursing injuries. Rampley is the only injured serious enough to warrant excuse from workouts. Although he is not in uniform, Rampley is on the field to keep abreast of new plays. He has an infected leg. Charles Hester and John White appear to be the most seriously injured. Hester has an infected foot. White's injury is his leg.

Mrs. Mark Foster is ill this week, and Miss Tommy Lou Ford is working as Western Union operator.

W. B. Walker is on a business trip to Oregon.

Eagles Football Team Back From Training Camp

The Canyon High School Eagles Football Club returned to Canyon early this week after having spent their time in a most profitable and concentrated training period at Lake Fryar.

As a result of this intense training the boys' hopes are directed this week toward the first contest of the season with the Muleshoe eleven at Muleshoe on Friday afternoon at three o'clock, September 13th.

Participating in the training camp were Joe Abbott, Billy Abbott, Edwin Bailey, Dick Barrett, James Bible, Austell Burrus, Clifford Burtz, Dennis Burrus, Troy Burrus, Billy Cleavinger, Carole Wray Dickerson, Wayne Davis, Marvin Fite, James Guthrie, Don Hickman.

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Coach R. D. Wheelock and Supt. E. A. Wooten have announced the football schedule for the Canyon High School Eagles.

Games that will be played, when, and where, are:

Sept. 13—Muleshoe, there.
Sept. 20—Spearman, here.
Sept. 28—Price College, here.
Oct. 4—Dimmitt, there.
Oct. 18—Friona, there.
Oct. 25—Dalhart, here.
Nov. 1—Hereford, here.
Nov. 8—Dumas, there.

W. T. Football Tickets Before Opening College

Young people of Randall County who expect to enroll in West Texas State College this fall are invited to call at the Business Office of the college and get tickets which will admit them to the Buffalo-Houston football game, September 27.

Members of the high school classes of 1946 from both Canyon High School and the Demonstration High School are especially urged to call for their tickets. Tickets will be issued only to the persons who are to use them.

Highland News

P. L. Tidwell of Long Beach, Calif. is visiting at the Fuqua and Marvin Tidwell homes this week.

Seventy guest called at the W. E. O'Neil home Sunday afternoon honoring Mrs. O'Neal on her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Houseman formerly of Wildorado, are the proud parents of a baby girl, born Thursday, Sept. 5th.

Mrs. L. E. Mason was hostess to a family outdoor supper on Monday night, Sept. 2, while her brother and family were here from Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Fulton and Joan went to Kansas over the week end to visit relatives there.

Mrs. R. J. Sharp and Mrs. Carl Fuqua called on Mrs. Mason last Wednesday afternoon.

Sidney Sharp is now home with his discharge after two years in service.

Mr. and Mrs. Reeder visited in the Geo. Cook home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook visited in the Fuqua home last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Jones of Amarillo and Tommie Baldwin and son were supper guests of Mrs. Howard Fuqua last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Baldwin of Bushland are the proud parents of a baby girl named Winsome Janann. Mrs. Baldwin and baby returned home from the hospital last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fuqua had supper with Mrs. Lois Kellogg in Amarillo Sunday evening.

The Highland H. D. Club met with Mrs. Wilbur Cretsinger last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tapscott moved to one of the Erdman apartments at Wildorado from their place southeast of Bushland last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Russell left Monday for a vacation in Colorado.

Fling To Preach In Baptist Revival

Rev. Robert C. Fling, pastor of Tabernacle Baptist Church of Ennis, will be the preacher for the fall revival at the First Baptist Church in Canyon, October 6-20, according to announcement by Pastor Roy L. Johnson. Rev. Fling is a young man and for a time several years ago served as director of Baptist Student work among the colleges of Texas, during which time he was in Canyon for a series of services. Last spring he was in Canyon for a week and was so well liked by the congregation that a unanimous vote asked his return for a two-week meeting in October.

Music for the meeting will be conducted by Robert Kilgore, local director of music for the church. Services will be held twice daily, and Virgil Henson, superintendent of the Sunday School, expects attendance to reach 700 during the meeting. This will be a new "high" but he believes it can be reached since growth has been constant during the past two years until the highest average on record has been reached.

Happy Birthday

September 20th—
Mrs. Max Simmons
Dan Gerald
Carolyn Black
Carl Overton
Mrs. James L. Cole
Walter Beckman
Lewis Hales
Betty Jane Hales
Mrs. Clarence Bauer
Mrs. J. K. Currie
Mrs. Edgar Robinson

September 21st—
Anita Davis
Helen Earline Davis
Mrs. T. B. McCarter
Mrs. W. T. Oliver
Owen Scott
Mrs. Henry Meyer
R. E. Baird
Frank Garrett
Mrs. Rex Lawley
George Emmitt Prichard
Billy Morgan Brown

September 22nd—
Mrs. Milton Sanders
C. R. Holland
Mrs. J. S. Harrison
Mrs. Robert Oldham

September 23rd—
Lewis Beckman
Frances Ann Ficke
Susan Owens

September 24th—
James Thomas Harp
C. L. Thompson
Rowena Jones
Hellen Schuette
Mrs. J. B. Hickman
Mrs. Milton Morris

September 25th—
Mrs. Carl Hair
Charles Gerald
Harold Bryan
Margarethe Meyer
Mrs. Lily Wofford

September 26th—
Stuart Condron, Jr.
E. Burroughs, Jr.
Leslie Lisle
Alice Brotherton
Ollie J. Grabbe
Mrs. J. M. Farr
Hannah Roberson
Johnnie Don Satterwhite

FAMILY REUNION

Visitors in the H. S. Strain home this week have been: Mr. and Mrs. William S. Strain and daughter of El Paso, who are on their way to California where Mr. Strain will work on his doctor's degree in Leland Stanford University; Mr. and Mrs. Carmin Petruccione of Amarillo, who are preparing to make their home in Denver, Colorado, and the L. E. Thomas and J. D. Barker families of Canyon. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn W. Stough, Jr. of San Diego, California were unable to be at home with the rest of the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Heller of Dundee visited Monday in the John Knight home. He is secretary of the Quarter Horse Association, and Mrs. Heller is a granddaughter of Mrs. Knight, the former Marguerite Hicks.

Mrs. Florence Stephenson visited Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Thompson in Hereford over the week end. Miss Suzanne Stephenson returned home with her, after spending a week visiting there.

Dr. and Mrs. A. K. Knott returned Saturday from attending the American Youth Foundation Camp at Camp Miniwanca in Shelby, Michigan. Coming home, they traveled through Tennessee and Colorado.

Mrs. Vie Bechtold is back at work in Evelyn's Beauty Shop after a brief illness.

Palo Duro News

The Lutheran Ladies Aid met September 5 in the home of Mrs. G. H. Leseberg for a business session and quilting. Members present included Rev. Martin J. H. Hartenberger, Mesdames Alvina Leseberg, Henry Meyer, Albert Meyer, George Albers, Pauline Wendelken, B. A. Burrus, Walter Boehning, Henry Miller, and the hostess. Guests were Mesdames S. E. Richardson, Mary Leopold, and Miss Alvinia Niemann.

Celebrating the birthday of Mrs. Catherine Albers at her home in Canyon Monday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Emil Albers, Mr. and Mrs. John Albers, and Mr. and Mrs. George Albers.

Miss Gladys Leseberg spent Thursday night with Misses Anette and Helen Meyer.

Attending the business meeting of Trinity Walther League in Amarillo Sunday evening were Wilbert Wendelken, Herbert and Alvin Kuhlman, Wilma and Betty Schuette, Phyllis, John, and Alan Albers, and Betty Ann Miller.

Alan Albers, who is stationed in California, is spending a furlough in the parental E. H. Albers home.

Mesdames Alvina Leseberg, Pauline Wendelken, Henry Miller, and Miss Alvinia Niemann met Friday with Mrs. G. H. Leseberg to continue work on the Ladies' Aid quilt.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Miller and Betty visited with Mr. and Mrs. Vance Albers and Carolyn Marie in Lubbock Wednesday.

Mrs. Pauline Wendelken and Miss Alvinia Niemann were dinner guests in the S. E. Richardson home in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Albers moved to Lubbock this week where Mr. Albers has enrolled in Texas Tech.

Mrs. Joe Black returned last week from visiting in Mangum, Oklahoma with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Black. Joe David and Larry Black of Mangum, who had been visiting the F. D. C. Middletons and the Joe Blacks, returned home with Mrs. Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Branch T. Archer of Amarillo are visiting their parents in Canyon this week. They have just recently moved from Austin to Amarillo where Mr. Archer will practice law.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crowder from Clovis, N. M. visited in the parental W. I. Wester home over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eugene Thompson left Tuesday for Austin where they both will enroll in the University of Texas.

Mrs. Henry Prichard left Monday for her home in Roy, N. M. after visiting in the parental B. F. Machen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barlow, Carolyn and Tony of Houston left Friday after visiting in the home of Mrs. Ida Barlow and Dr. Ida Barlow.

Mrs. A. H. Prichard and Diane, and Mrs. Charles Harter are visiting Lt. Hud Prichard and family in Virginia.

Mrs. Charles Harding of Miami, Florida is visiting her mother and brothers here, Mrs. J. F. Doss, Raymond and Roy.

A. B. Holt and daughter, Ann, and Joyce Brant returned Saturday from a vacation trip to Red River, New Mexico.

Frank, Lila, and Betty Robbins from Hereford visited with Mrs. Rhea Robbins and Wynema over the week-end.

Miss Doris Ann Gennings was a week end guest of Miss Jane Schramm in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Altman and Judy of Post were week-end guests in the J. M. Daugherty home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Patke of Amarillo spent the week-end in the E. I. Boyce home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Robbins, Don and Earl of Santa Fe, N. M. visited in the home of Mrs. Rhea Robbins.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Walker from Happy were week-end visitors in the Wakefield Walker home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harmon left for New York Thursday where they will both attend school.

Discharged

Charles E. Francis received a Certificate of Service at Fort Sam Houston, and is on terminal leave now. He served over three years as a first lieutenant radio officer, and his overseas duty was in Southern Philippines, Luzon, and New Guinea.

Leo S. Duflot was released from active duty at Camp Wallace on August 24, after serving three years, five months in the Navy. His rating at the time of his release was Lieutenant (MC) in the United States Naval Reserve. His overseas duty was in the Asiatic-Pacific Theatre as a medical officer.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to our friends for their thoughtfulness and the many kindnesses shown to us in the passing of our brother and uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Hix and family
Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Winn and family
Louis L. Hix.

Wayside Items

Rev. Lightfoot delivered a good sermon Sunday morning. Rev. Stewart is still unable to fill his appointments.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Newby of Ft. Worth are employed by Willis Fisher. The Roy Dodson family who have been with him for a number of years have moved to the W. H. Hamblen house.

Mr. and Mrs. Oleff Hamblen of near Floydada announce the arrival of twin boys, Ronny and Donny, born August 8.

Mrs. G. R. McNeil of Wichita Falls is visiting in the parental M. L. McGehee home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Erwin from Pampa were week end visitors in the Rev. Stewart home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kittle from Grand Forks, North Dakota, and children are visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. E. J. Mahler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Lane are back from their vacation trip to Ruidosa, N. M. and report a very pleasant trip.

Mrs. W. R. Franklin is back from a trip to Colorado. She visited with her daughter, Mrs. E. V. Fryburger, near Paonia, Colo. She made the trip with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Payne, who visited their son Doyle and family and saw their granddaughter Dolores Ann for the first time. They live in Grand Junction, Colo.

Several irrigation wells have been drilled in our community lately, among whom are Jack Foster, Harvey Newsom, E. O. Hutton and others expect to drill in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Franklin were Happy and Canyon callers last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Bull of Long Beach, Calif., were here Monday visiting old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Graham and daughter returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson and son from Sinton, Texas are visiting in the J. F. Wallen home.

Mrs. C. R. Flesher has returned to her job in T. A. Black's after a short vacation.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Home-grown tomatoes. W. L. Avent, 311 W. 4th. 28t2

FOR SALE: Breakfast set. Living Room suite. Phone 401W. 1p

FOR SALE: 65 feet of 4-inch pipe with suckerrod with 3¾-inch working barrel. 26-foot Challenge windmill. 5x5 Redwood tank. Christler Crain, Rt. 2. ¼ mile east of graveyard.

STAR-TELEGRAM of Fort Worth will receive both new and renewal subscriptions through the Canyon News until further notice. The bargain rates are $10.95 for seven day issues; $9.60 without Sunday issue; $9.95 for teachers and $7.50 for ministers. Add $1.50 and receive the Canyon News for one year. tf

FOR SALE: Model A John Deere new high compressor motor. Deep furrow Moline drill 10-14 disc. New John Deere binder. Douglas Marshall, Rt. 2. 28p2

FOR SALE: 4 one-panel inside doors. 1 three panel closet door. Roberts Welding Shop. 1t

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WANTED: Good, clean cotton rags at News Office. tf

FOR SALE: Nice walnut bedroom suite and two writing desks. Phone 377J, 2201 6th Avenue. 1t

FOR SALE: Practically new apartment cook stove. 706 20th St. 28p2

FOR SALE: Three oil heaters, one Coleman. T. E. Beard, 100 N. 11th. Phone 413. 28t2

FOR SALE: Two single-bed mattresses, one cotton, one innerspring. Single-bed springs. 1904 8th Avenue. 28p2

FOR SALE: Beardless black hull seed wheat. "K" Service Station. Phone 120. 1t

FOR SALE: Play pen. Practically new. Phone 556W. 1t

FOR SALE OR TRADE: '41 Deluxe DeSoto Coupe, with radio and heater. Inquire at Cole and McGahey Service Station. 1p

FOR SALE: 518-acre farm with: 5-room brick house with bath, 3-room tenant house with bath, 3 chicken houses, one calf shed, one Grainery, one hay barn, 25-cow dairy barn, 500-gallon butane system, 300 acres bottom land, 50 acres sowed with alfalfa, sub-irrigated. 17 miles from Fort Worth. C. H. Lowe, Route 2, Canyon. 27p3

FOR SALE: UC Allis-Chalmers tractor, A-1 condition, with good tires; 10-foot John Deere one-way, A-1 condition. Aaron Cummins, Route 1. 27p2

FOR SALE: 3 room modern house. West 8th Avenue. Fred E. Scott, Phone 156. 27t3

FOR SALE: Two lots on pavement, sidewalks and curbing. Inquire at 404 24th Street. 27p4

FOR SALE: Peonies and poppies. Time to put them out. Have a good supply. Stevens Florist. 27t3

FOR SALE: 1 Power Post hole digger, made for John Deere Tractor. This is a good digger. $40.00. Elbert C. Robinson, Route No. 2, Happy, Texas. 26p3

FOR SALE: Good 6-room house, new. Can give immediate possession. On Fifth Avenue, one block from College. See Geo. Small. Phone 256W. 1t

FOR SALE: 1931 Chevrolet Victoria model. Motor, body, tires excellent. Hilltop Service Station, 7 miles miles South Amarillo. 27p2

FOR SALE: Dining table with seven chairs, 9x12 good rug, one gas heater, one iron bedstead. Phone 274W. 26t3

FOR SALE: Roan Durham bull, 1 year old. E. A. Stocker, 3½ miles north of Umbarger. 26p3

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED: Middle-aged respectable woman to make home with elderly couple in Hereford. Light housework. Inquire at News office. 28p2

WANTED: Custom plowing and wheat sowing. Marshall Rockwell. Phone 9009F5. 28p3

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Washington Newsletter

By Congressman Gene Worley

China has the worst inflation of any nation in history. Their government is anything but stable which accounts largely for the lack of confidence in the Chinese dollar. The exchange rate is about twenty-five hundred dollars to one; that is, one American dollar is equal in value to about twenty-five hundred Chinese National Currency dollars. To give you an idea of the prices, a local telephone call in Shanghai was two hundred and fifty Chinese dollars. An average meal at a restaurant or hotel ran nearly four thousand dollars. A garden variety lettuce salad cost over a thousand dollars. A cup of coffee, when you could get it, ran one thousand dollars.

Incidentally, all American people were cautioned not to eat any raw vegetables. It wasn't safe to eat them until they'd been cooked or boiled. Too, we were warned against drinking water or even washing our teeth with it unless it had been boiled.

In the internal affairs of the Chinese government, I cannot say that all Chinese officials are honest. It seems to be an old Chinese custom for an official to indulge in what we over here would consider the worst form of graft but what they consider nothing but a standard custom. It is their "squeeze." For example, a number of high-ranking Nazis who had been sheltered when the Japanese occupied a part of China were supposed to have been deported back to Germany. However, through very reliable sources of information we learned that a number of the wealthier Nazis had "paid off" and in reality were not deported from China.

Leaving China, the Committee flew to the capital of China, which is Nanking—about 600 miles in the westward interior. There are the headquarters of Generalissimo Chiang Kai Shek and where General George C. Marshall is trying desperately to arbitrate the differences between the Kuomintang, which is the Nationalist Government Party, and the Communists. Marshall gave the Committee a detailed story of the whole picture and the very real obstacles which have so far prevented any compromise between the two forces. The philosophies of the two sides are about as far apart as night and day. There is no question but what Moscow is actively interested in seeing that the Communists take over the government of China and Russia has aided the Communist cause materially by "leaving" most of the captured Japanese war material where the Communists could help themselves. While the Communists at the present time are relatively few in number, they control an area in which one hundred million Chinese live. On the other hand, the Nationalist Government controls an area in which three hundred and fifty million Chinese live. No one is very optimistic that General Marshall, in spite of his great record and unquestioned ability, will be able to get the two factions to compromise and devote their energies to rebuilding China and securing a stable government. Oil and water won't mix any easier than the two conflicting philosophies and based on late news from over there the Nationalist Government seems determined to launch a full scale attack against the Communists. Even while we were in Nanking, battles between the two forces were going on in that area. (Nanking, like many other Chinese cities, is surrounded by a tremendous wall as protection against enemies.)

After conferences at Nanking, we took off for Peiping, which used to be called Pekin and which was formerly the capital of China. We took off in a four engine cargo plane generally referred to as a "bucket job" because a wing flap was damaged when our own plane landed at Nanking. We encountered a good bit of rough weather and mountains on our trip north to Pieping, which is nearly 700 miles.

Next Week: Peiping, Port Arthur, and Korea.

We marvel at our daughter's ability in the kitchen. Not because of what she bakes, but how she ever lifts it out of the oven.

Three months of formal schooling comprised the education of Thomas Edison, who patented 1033 inventions.

David Sarnoff, president of Radio Corporation of America, was once a messenger boy.

Well Rounded Diet Is Essential To Children's Health

Discussing the food requirements of a child enjoying maximum health, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has stressed the importance of a well-rounded diet and stated that a healthy and well nourished child enjoys life and does well in school because he is physically fit.

Dr. Cox stated further that when a child is in good health, his appetite is good, elimination is regular and sleep is sound and untroubled, all of which contributes to his progress in school.

"A child's appearance can usually help parents to judge the state of his nutrition. A well nourished child has good skin color and there is a moderate padding of fat over the bones and muscles of the arms, legs and body. Muscles are well developed and strong. Teeth are good and the gums are firm and light pink," Dr. Cox said.

The State Health Officer stated that a delicate, hard-to-please appetite or a tired feeling after a little exertion indicates possible malnutrition or the beginning of an illness, and the child should be seen by the family physician.

Required as a diet for the preschool child and those of school age, Dr. Cox listed milk, fruit, vegetables, eggs, meat, fish or cheese, cereal, and bread and added that cod liver oil and other vitamin preparations may be useful in winter and early spring, but they should always be prescribed by the family physician.

Just heard a radio announcer give a nationally advertised product, and then say "Our next number will be 'I Didn't Mean a Word I Said.'"

Georgia Tech turned down Bobby Didd as a football player, and later hired him as its football coach.

Just read where a widower with eight children married a widow with six children. That wasn't a marriage, it was a merger.

Maybe the man who doesn't quarrel with his wife just doesn't know the difference between cowardice and chivalry?

We've instructed the daughter to tell her ever-present boy friends that dad had a vicious habit of tearing things apart when they won't go.

About the only thing you can't get from a mail-order house is a male.

The wife understands now why Minerva was called "The Goddess of Wisdom."

The fight generally starts about the time somebody says: "I want my rights."

Kansas was named for an Indian tribe, "people of the south wind."

Oglethorpe named Georgia in gratitude to George II, who granted him homestead rights.

New Hampshire was named after the English county of Hampshire.

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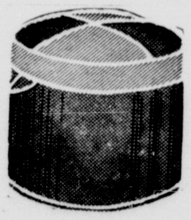

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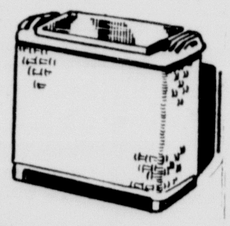

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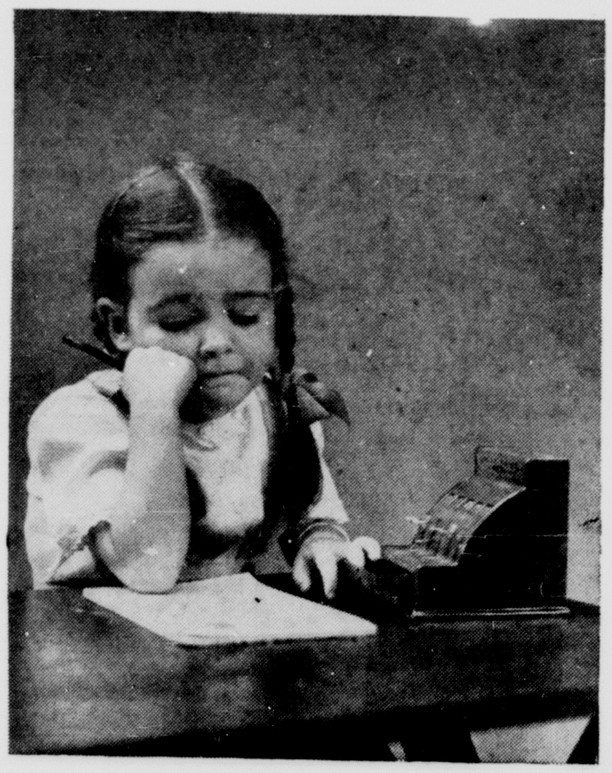

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Fairview Breezes

Everyone has been busy sowing wheat. Rain would be appreciated at this time.

Miss Lavinia Amerson visited in the parental F. O. Amerson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hext visited in the J. W. Wesley home Sunday afternoon.

Those enjoying lunch in the J. W. Wesley home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Schaeffer, Evelyn, Fayrene, and Annabelle; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wilson, Ervin, Charles, and Darrell; Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Sharpes, Troye Wayne and Etta; Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Wesley. Those calling in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shipman and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wise, Uel and Mary.

Election of officers and teachers for the Sunday School and Baptist Training Union was held, and the following people were elected: Superintendent, H. H. Shipman; assistant superintendent, S. F. Sharpes; secretary-treasurer, Vesta Amerson; pianist, Annabel Schaeffer; song leader, Mary Wise; beginner teacher, Mrs. G. E. Wesley; primary teacher, Mrs. J. W. Wesley; junior teacher, Mrs. H. H. Shipman; intermediate teacher, Mrs. E. M. Wilson; and adult teacher, Mrs. E. W. Schaeffer. B. T. U. chose the following leaders: President, S. F. Sharpes; vice-president, Rayford Shipman; song leader, Mary Wise; pianist, Annabel Schaeffer. President Sharpes appointed Mrs. J. W. Wesley and Mrs. E. W. Schaeffer as group captains and G. E. Wesley as quiz leader. For the young people, Ervin Wilson was elected president, and H. H. Shipman as sponsor for the coming year.

In a drive to raise funds for a new curtain and new seats for the Fairview Church, it was decided to have a chicken supper at the church, Saturday evening, September 21. A charge per plate will be announced later. Some form of free entertainment will be offered. Come and enjoy yourself; feed the family, and help a worthy cause.

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Prehistoric City Being Excavated

Centuries-Old Mystery of Southwest May Be Bared.

TUCSON, ARIZ. — Excavations this year in the San Carlos reservation may clear up one of the southwest's great mysteries — the sudden migration from this section of thousands of early Americans who abandoned almost overnight a civilization built over many centuries.

Many theories have been advanced in explanation of the strange actions of the people who lived here long before the coming of Columbus, but definite proof is lacking.

Dr. Emil Haury of the University of Arizona is head of the first archeological expedition into the untouched region south of Arizona's White mountains.

He hopes to find a definite solution to the mystery in the ruins of a prehistoric city now being excavated.

Last summer Dr. Haury and E. B. Sayles, curator of the Arizona state museum, visited nearly 200 ruins before locating a semi-permanent camp for archeological students at Point-of-Pines.

Because modern science has not yet provided the means for irrigation, and the area is too arid to support agriculture without it, Point-of-Pines and the entire San Carlos reservation today are used mainly for cattle ranching.

But 500 years ago, with similar climatic conditions, the people of this lost civilization intelligently used water supplied by nature to create productive farms.

Oldest of these ancient Americans, says Haury, were members of the MoGollon culture, who took up permanent residence in pit houses on the foothill slopes of the White mountains.

Here they lived until between 800 and 900 A. D., when the Anasazi (basket-makers) moved down from the north.

Civilization flourished, the population increased, and more ground was devoted to agriculture.

Larger pueblos were built and two-story apartment houses, containing hundreds of rooms, dominated the city.

Then, in the 14th century, at the peak of the Anasazi culture, their flourishing farms, elaborate irrigation system and great homes, were deserted. The reason is not known.

Wife Given Weight In Silver Dollars

MINNEAPOLIS. — The mortgage on the home of a Minneapolis couple was smaller by $2,896 because the feminine member of the pair weighed 165 pounds.

As a surprise for their 25th wedding anniversary, R. H. Zima of Minneapolis balanced his wife's weight with silver dollars. He rigged up a balance scales, seated Mrs. Zima on one end and then clinked silver dollars on the other end until the balance indicator pointed straight upwards. It took 2,896 dollar coins to balance Mrs. Zima's 165 pounds.

The immediate decision of Mrs. Zima was that the money be used to help pay off the balance on their home.

U. S. Pardons Ex-G.I. Who Sold Secrets to Russia

LOS ANGELES, CALIF. — Hafis Salich, convicted here in 1939 of selling naval intelligence to a Russian agent, was pardoned recently under a general amnesty order for World War II veterans issued last Christmas by President Truman, Assistant U. S. Attorney Ronald Walker announced.

Walker filed with the clerk of the district court Salich's honorable discharge showing three years and two months' army service, and a $10,000 fine was remitted.

Salich was granted military leave after serving two years and nine months of a four year prison sentence at McNeil island. He was convicted of selling navy secrets, while attached to the naval intelligence, to Mikhail Nicholas Gorin, Soviet tourist agent here.

Specialist Would Tattoo Baby When It Is Born

LONDON, ENGLAND. — C. Hamblen-Thomas, a Harley street specialist, proposed in the British Medical Journal recently that a national identity number should be tattooed on the buttock of each baby at birth.

He recommended the right buttock for males and the left for females. He said nobody could lose or change his number.

The number, he said, would be "in a position easy for reference, and yet sufficiently private."

Wood-Inlay Model House Takes 7 Years to Build

CHICAGO.—Take 1,267,575 pieces of wood, some glue, a lot of talent and time, mix well and you can have a beautiful hand-inlaid desk.

That's how Michael Kasper made the desk his son is going to get as a wedding present.

Kasper also has turned out an inlaid model of a house in a little less than seven years, and a cocktail table in 1,014 hours.

Texas has 251 Red Cross Chapters.

Heaven Knows

By EULALIE WEEKS

According to reports, Jack Marshall was a very fascinating person. Well, as far as Virginia was concerned, she didn't care a snap about this Jack person in particular. It was the principle of the thing. Virginia thought it unfair, just because she had been transferred from her home town to the Trust company here and consequently knew very few people, that she should be deprived of the opportunity of meeting eligible men like other girls her age.

"Oh, well," Virginia sighed to herself. "What's the difference?"

As she turned away from the window and started to cross the street, lost in thought, she didn't even see the car that rounded the corner. The driver slammed on the brakes but not before Virginia had stepped off the curb and been splashed from head to foot with dirty, slushy water. It was all she needed at the moment!

"I say, I am sorry! I . . ." Virginia interrupted the pleasant voice with her bitter recriminations. "Well, why don't you look where you're going. Now look at me!"

"I am looking!"

Had the man the nerve to joke? "I'm just a sight and it's your fault!"

"You are—but it's not all my fault." He was laughing at her—Virginia saw red!

"Oh, you—YOU imbecile! You—you . . ."

"Hey, stop. Now don't get any madder. I'll give you a lift home and then . . ."

"I'm just a sight and it's your fault."

Virginia knew he was right assuming as much dignity as possible she accepted his invitation. In about two minutes she was at her rooming house. "I'm sorry I lost my temper—it was my own fault, really."

His laugh was exciting and Virginia didn't know when she had ever heard such a pleasing voice. "That's better—perhaps another time you'll drive under more pleasant circumstances?"

"Heaven knows; who can say?"

For many days following, Virginia watched for the man who had splashed her but there was no sign of him.

One day Mrs. Baker called and invited Virginia to a cocktail party on the following Friday and the same day she was asked to again fill in at the bridge club. As she expected, the conversation kept reverting to Jack Marshall every time one of the girls was dummy.

"It's too bad you haven't even met him, Virginia. He's really keen."

"She'll probably meet him at Mrs. Baker's Friday," Bessie said this with such an inflection in her voice that she might as well have added, "but what good will that do?"

Virginia was about the last to arrive at the cocktail party. Mrs. Baker was charming as she led her from group to group, introducing her with many flattering remarks. Suddenly she laughed.

"I want you to meet Jack Marshall but I'm afraid we'll have to use dynamite to break through that defense!" However, as soon as Mrs. Baker approached, Virginia's bridge partners moved to one side with deference.

Jack Marshall!

Mrs. Baker was only half through the introduction when Jack interrupted. "Mrs. Baker, we've met! Believe it or not, I've been looking for Miss Small for two weeks but nobody seemed to know where you were or to what rooming house I was referring."

The girls all gaped.

"Well, you'll take care of Virginia? You know where the punchbowl is!" Mrs. Baker said. A thrill shot through Virginia as Jack placed his hand on her arm. She knew the girls could hear every word and she was glad that Bessie, especially, was taking it all in.

"Anyone ever splash your evening gown? I'm depending on it being ready for the Charity Ball!"

India and Afghanistan are connected by the Khyber Pass.

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Deride my opinion with laughter;
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Colorado, meaning red, was probably named for the earth coloring in certain sections of the state.

Nevada, meaning "snow clad," was named for its high, snow-capped peaks.

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News In Canyon 25 Years Ago

(Taken from the files of the Randall County News of September 15, 1921)

Among the new teachers at the normal are: W. E. Lockhart, Miss M. Moss Richardson, F. E. Savage, S. D. Burton.

Col. and Mrs. C. C. Goodnight have given many valuable relics to the normal, according to L. F. Sheffy, head of the history department.

Thad Cobb, former Canyon citizen, died at Tucumcari as the result of two gun shots at his hotel room.

William Wrigley announced he was spending $10,000 per day advertising his chewing gum, which sells at 5 cents per package.

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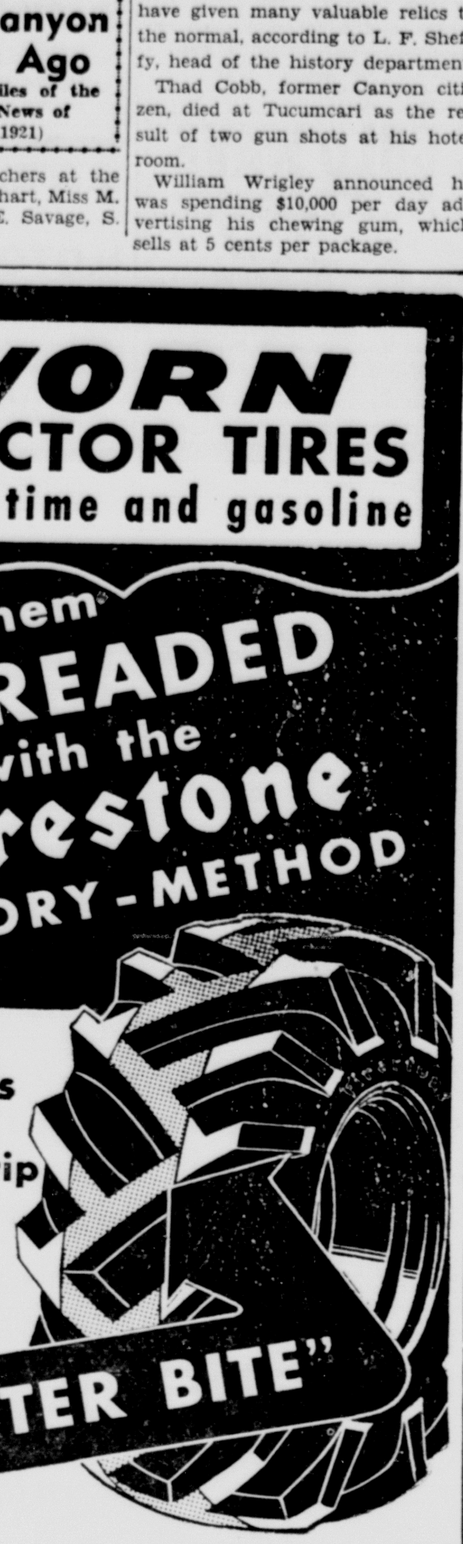

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Black Market Now Is Ruled by Widow

Relict of Mob Leader Takes Over Tokyo Job.

TOKYO. — A 30-year-old widow wearing western-style clothes—and an Oriental air of assurance to match—has moved in as queen of Tokyo's Black Market.

Yoshiko Matsuda claims the high office in the underworld by right of succession. An ex-member of her husband's mob rubbed him out and made her a widow.

The defunct husband, Giichi Matsuda, was the boss of Tokyo's underworld up until the time he announced that henceforth the Black Market would be "legitimate, ethical and businesslike."

Those who didn't want to live under his new ukase of honor among thieves could go back to honest toil, he said—in effect.

One, however, forthrightly decided that bumping off the king of the Black Market could be counted as an honest day's toil.

The killing caused great consternation in Matsuda's empire, whose main place of business is right out in front of Shimbashi railway station in downtown Tokyo.

Oriental aplomb was quickly restored, however, among Tokyo's estimated 5,000 Black Marketeers who had banded together as an association under Matsuda.

They voted to make Mrs. Matsuda the new ruler, and she accepted with alacrity.

In an interview in the room where the last rites were performed for her husband, Mrs. Matsuda—flanked by flowers and funeral wreaths—declared: "I will try to do what my husband failed to do."

Eventually, she said, the Black Market could go legitimate, buying and selling at equitable prices.

Meanwhile, Mrs. Matsuda added with confidence, she would handle both her "association" members and rival racketeers, even if she was the first female ruler Tokyo's tenderloin ever had.

Plane, With Jet Aid, Breaks Speed Mark

DAYTON. — The army air force's XA-26F, powered by one jet and two conventional engines, streaked nonstop from Wright Field to St. Louis and back at 413 miles an hour—a new speed record for an airplane carrying a 1,000 kilogram (2,204 pound) payload over a 1,000 kilometer (621 mile) course. The time of the flight was 1 hour, 30 minutes and 51 seconds.

The record was made under National Aeronautical association rules, topping the previous record of 369 miles an hour set last May by Lt. Edward Grabowski of the Strategic Air Command over the same course with the same payload. The XA-26F was piloted by Lt. Col. T. P. Gerrity, 32, of Chicago.

Tells How Nazis Drafted French Slave Laborers

NEURNBERG. — Fritz Sauckel admitted to the international war crimes tribunal that he forced the Vichy government to impose the death penalty on any Frenchman who attempted to interfere with drafting slave labor for Germany.

The former Nazi labor chief said he made such "suggestions" and that Pierre Laval carried them through. Sauckel said he meant them to be applied, though, only to "serious" cases.

French prosecutors also drew from Sauckel under cross-examination statements that he organized a special force of terrorists to recruit workers for transport to the Reich, and that he had ordered recalcitrant laborers placed in shackles.

The prosecution also charged that Hitler had threatened to take over the rule of France himself unless more slave labor was forthcoming.

Hug by Fiance Is Fatal To Girl, Coroner Finds

LONDON. — Florence Quarrel's fiance hugged her so ardently she collapsed and died, a London coroner said recently.

During an inquest, Leslie Bowner told the coroner that he and the girl, who was 22, had been kissing when she collapsed in an arm chair, rolling her head and gasping for breath. She died a short time later. He had been engaged to her seven months.

A government pathologist testified that during an embrace Bowner exerted pressure on a vulnerable nerve center in his sweetheart's neck which caused immediate paralysis of the lung and heart functions. The coroner ruled that the death was accidental and freed Bowner of responsibility.

Wider Range Is Seen in Radar and Television

WASHINGTON. — Navy scientists predicted that the operating range of ultra-short-wave radio, radar and television some day will extend 2,000 miles. The predictions came from an abandoned air base in the Arizona desert, near Gila Bend, where navy scientists are studying the effect of weather changes on high-frequency radio transmission.

Champlain gave Vermont its name after its "green mountains."

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More than $3,000,000 worth of automobiles are owned by the State government — and the expense of operating this tremendous fleet of cars is just about equal to the entire cost of running the State government when Pat M. Neff was Governor.

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One of the most impressive sights of Texas: the ancient oaks, hung with moss, in Columbus. Some of these huge trees are said to be 600 years old; they were casting a shade and furnishing a haven for birds a century and a half before Columbus set sail. One stands in awe before such antiquity as he realizes the fleetness of human life.

A few definitions by a cynic:

A co-ordinator is a man who brings chaos out of regimented confusion.

A conference is a group of men who individually can do nothing but as a group can meet and decide that nothing can be done.

A professor is a man who tells students how to solve the problems of life which he himself has tried to avoid by becoming a professor.

A statistician is a man who draws a mathematically precise line from an unwarranted assumption to a foregone conclusion.

An efficiency expert is a man who knows less about your business than you do and gets paid more for telling you how to run it than you could possibly make out of it even if you ran it right, instead of the way he told you to.

It is well to remember that the man of few words has just that many less to take back.

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Chinese Relief Is Headed by Edward R. Stettinius, Jr.

Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., has accepted the campaign chairmanship of United Service to China, Inc., formerly United China Relief, according to an announcement over the week-end by former Governor Charles Edison, chairman, USC Board of Directors.

Mr. Stettinius, long associated with international affairs, accepted the invitation of the USC Board as a result of special urging from General George C. Marshall, who is Honorary Chairman of United Service to China.

Mr. Stettinius made the following statement upon acceptance of the post:

"I am happy to be associated with United Service to China and to serve in the capacity of campaign chairman, because of my firm belief that the work of this organization is a public service of great importance to future China-American relations."

"I am confident that Americans will continue to support the work of United Service to China. Being a non-political, non-sectarian organization, founded by Americans, its long-range mission of helping the Chinese people to help themselves can be carried on without prejudice. Its funds are used to help in the training of more doctors, more teachers; to provide training in child care and welfare; to furnish technical assistance in the development of small industry; and, most essential, to help make education available to all Chinese.

"At this critical hour when China is torn by internal strife, we cannot turn our backs on the humanitarian institutions we have established there and the ideals we have fostered. Today, more than ever, the Chinese people look to us for understanding assistance; we in turn must recognize and meet the challenge."

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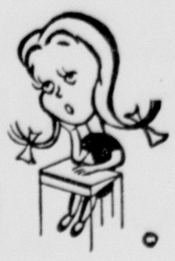

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She's back in the nursery now — sound asleep with "Princess Elizabeth" (that's a doll) cuddled in her right arm. You guys wouldn't hurt her, would you? You see, I'm her daddy. When her doll is broken or her finger is cut, or her head gets bumped, I can fix it — but when she starts to school, when she walks across the street, then she's in your hands.

She's a nice kid. She can run like a deer and darts about like a chipmunk. She likes to swim and hike with me on Sunday afternoons. But I can't be with her all the time—I have to work to pay for her clothes and education. So please help me look out for her. Please drive carefully, please drive slowly past the schools and intersections—and please remember that children run from behind parked cars. Please, don't hurt my little girl.

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Sgt. Tom Knighton Ends Glider School Work in Japan

In Sendai, Japan, Sgt. Tom Knighton has finished a glider school and has received his rating as a qualified gliderist.

Since many of the men have come home, the band, of which Sgt. Knighton was a member has disbanded; and he is now enrolled in a short six-weeks course in Japan.

Neil Edward Kilchriste from Electra visited his family, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Harding and Cheri Kilchriste this week-end.

Miss Beulah Hammond left Friday for Fort Worth where she will enroll in the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Mrs. Hubert Thomson, James and Betty, left Monday for Portales to visit in the home of Mrs. Thomson's parents.

Miss Betty Jo Baber from Amarillo visited in the parental Joe Baber home Sunday.

Miss Dottieve Boling returned to Plainview Monday where she will enter Wayland College as a senior.

Ed Phillips has returned to work in Cooper's after a vacation.

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Frances Langford — R. Wade
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SUNDAY AND MONDAY
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CLAUDETTE COLBERT — ORSON WELLES
News — Sportscope — Comedy
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Elizabeth Taylor — LASSIE
Frank Morgan
News - Sportscope - Comedy